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SITUATION IS CRITICAL.

An Outbreak in Santo Domingo Momentarily Expected.

TROOPS ARE BEING ASSEMBLED

Government Taking Steps for the Protection of Business and the Finances of the Country—Assassins to Be Haunted Down.

BURIAL OF PRESIDENT HEUREAUX

PUERTO PLATA, Santo Domingo, July 31.—The situation is critical. An outbreak is momentarily expected. The friends of the government are under arms and ready for action to protect property and preserve the peace. A feeble attempt was made to seize the body of President Heureaux by the assassins Ramon Caceres, Manuel Caceres, Horatio Vasquez and Domingo Pichardo, who are in the country about Moca with their followers. The burial of President Heureaux was conducted with fitting honors.

Governor Pepin has assembled troops in Moca, and the governor of La Vega Real has 1,000 men. The minister of the treasury has arrived at Moca in hot haste. The government is taking steps for the protection of business and the finance of the country, and expects to carry out the contemplated cancelling of the state bank notes. In Puerto Plata there is an urgent demand that the government send a sufficient force to Moca to hunt down the assassins of the president.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, July 31. A private cable dispatch received here by way of Cape Haytien reports that the revolution in Santo Domingo is progressing favorably. The dispatch says that the real season for the detention of President Heureaux's body at Santiago and its interment there was that the country between Santiago and Puerto Plata is occupied by the insurgents who, abandoning their plan of occupying Moca as a base of operations, are concentrating to attack Puerto Plata, which is feebly garrisoned. Great excitement prevails owing to the fact that the government has not been able to ascertain the extent of the ramifications of the revolution and is growing demoralized through the death of the president.

In the event of the revolution succeeding, according to the private cablegram, it is probable that Jiminez and Jitones, the reputed leaders of the revolution, will agree to retire, offering the presidency to General Maximo Gomez, who would prove acceptable to all parties. A deputation, it is reported, is going to Cuba to confer with Gomes.

Testing Heavy Motors.

LONDON, July 31.—A series of important trials of heavy motor wagons will take place at Liverpool this week over 40 miles of roads with stiff gradients. Eleven types of wagons were entered, including one American and one French, but at the last moment the American entry was cancelled.

The chief object of the competition is to encourage the development of types of heavy motor wagons, suitable to trade and agricultural requirements, capable of economically taking the place of horse-haulage and of competing with railways for short trips.

Great importance is attached to the trials, and the war department and Post Office will be especially represented by experts, in the hope of finding something to meet their urgent requirements. The winning firms are certain to get large orders. The trials incidentally have elicited the fact that the great torpedo boat firm of Thorncrofts has gone into the motor car business, believing there is big money in it.

Remarkable Mystery Cleared.

LOCK HAVEN, July 31.—The authorities insist that there are no new developments in the Rohn mystery. Judge Mayer still refuses to allow any arrests to be made until some trace of the missing man's body is found, and Detective Keller and Constable Reid are bending every effort to unravel the mystery.

Nothing has been brought to light by the investigation, however, but an odd romance.

Thirty years ago a prominent white family at Williamsport had as a servant a young negro, whose nickname was "Smoke." One of the daughters fell in love with "Smoke," and eloped with him. For years nothing was heard of her. A few days ago she met an officer near Karthaus. "Tell my parents," she said, "that I am happy and have seventeen children."

"Smoke" and his bride had settled in the region from which Rohn has disappeared.

Funeral of a Murderer.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Thousands of persons attended yesterday the funeral of Adolph L. Luetgert, the wife murderer, who died at the Joliet penitentiary. Prominent in the group about the bier at the Northwest Turner hall were Luetgert's three children, near a floral pillow with the inscription: "Our father's words—'I am innocent.'"

Lawrence Harmon, former counsel for Luetgert, delivered an address at the close of which he said:

"He is dead, but his wife lives. I call on Louisa Luetgert, the missing woman for whom he suffered, without ever uttering an unkind word regarding her, to come forth and remove the unmerited stain from the name of the father and her innocent children."

To Protect Wife's Right.

Judge Little handed down an important opinion in the Luzerne County court Friday which protects a wife from the attempt of a husband to defraud her of her rights in his property. The rule to stay proceedings was brought on the allegations of Sarah Seigley, wife of the defendant, Jacob Saigley, who contended that a note of $12,000, which was issued by her husband and for which judgment was entered, was a fraudulent scheme to deprive her of her marital rights in the property of her husband who, she alleges, made the note and allowed the judgment to be entered without a full bona fide consideration. Seigley, the plaintiff, contended that he loaned Seigley sums of money when the latter visited him in New York.

Judge Little granted a stay and said the law would protect a wife from fraudulent schemes of the character alleged.

A Luetgert Confession.

CHICAGO, July 30.—Adolph L. Luetgert's sudden death in the penitentiary at Joliet on Thursday last, has brought to light the fact that States Attorney C. S. Dineen has had locked up in the vaults of the criminal court building for two years a statement made by Luetgert to a fellow prisoner in the jail. It was sworn to by the latter at the time before the states attorney. From this document it would appear that Luetgert asked his wife to go with him to the sausage factory office on the night of May 1, 1897. She refused. This angered him. During the quarrel that followed he gave her a violent kick in the side. This rendered her unconscious. Luetgert expected she would come to, but she did not. Seeing that she had died, he disposed of her body in the factory vat.

To Welcome the Tenth.

CHICAGO, July 31.—A committee of prominent Pennsylvania politicians, officials, newspaper and railroad men, traveling in a special coach, passed through Chicago last night en route for the Pacific coast to welcome home the Tenth Pennsylvania volunteers, who are expected to arrive in San Francisco from Manila August 5 or 6. The committee carries a fund of $50,000 raised by citizens of Western Pennsylvania with which to bring the Tenth home and prepare a welcome for the returning soldiers. Besides the citizens' fund of $50,000 the Pennsylvania railroad subscribed $25,000.

The particular feature of this trip of welcome and escort lies in the plans already perfected for paying off the members of the regiment while on their way home and at the same time providing them with their mustering out papers. By special arrangement with the war department there will be a pay car attached to each of the military trains that pulls out of San Francisco and in each pay car will be the paymaster and government officials who will give the officers and men their pay and discharge papers. Over $2000,00 will be distributed in this manner

Coal Oil for Burns.

A girl of 11 years turned over a gallon of boiling liquid on her leg and foot. When the stocking was removed the skin came with it, and the pain was intense. I tore a strip off an old sheet, and having put nearly a pound of soda on the limb, wrapped the sheet about it in such a manner as to exclude the air, bound it firmly, saturated it well with coal oil, and in 15 minutes she sat with her foot in a chair and joined in the other children's play. In two days she was in school and in two weeks the limb was well. It never pained her after it was dressed. A barefooted boy stepped on fire, and was almost in spasms with the pain. I bound on soda and coal oil, and in less than twenty minutes he was asleep and had no more pain.

Trouble gets into many a home by means of a night latch-key.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

HOME AT LAST.

First Nebraska and Utah Troops Home from the War.

THEIR LANDING IN SAN FRANCISCO

Escorted by a Body of Regulars They Were Cheered by Thousands of Citizens as They Wended Their Way to Their Camp.

WILL SOON BE OUT OF THE SERVICE

SAN FRANCISCO, August 1. The disembarking of the First Nebraska infantry and the Utah light artillery yesterday gave San Franciscans a second opportunity to welcome returning soldiers from the Philippines. Flags and bunting streamed from nearly every building and many of the people along the line of march carried American flags, which they waved constantly as the veterans marched toward the Presidio. Added to the noise of whistles was that of clanging bells, the firing of cannon and the explosion of fireworks. General Shafter had provided an escort of artillery, and this body of soldiers with a band headed the procession.

As the regimental officers of the Nebraskans turned into Market street a mighty cheer was given. The band came next playing lively airs and then followed the men, attired in their campaign uniforms. The soldiers looked well. The men were cheered to the echo as they proceeded along the line of march, and the sight of the battle flag of the Nebraskans seemed to arouse all the enthusiasm the spectators could muster.

The hospital corps brought up the rear of the Nebraska regiment, and seated in the wagons were several wounded men.

Then came the Utah light artillery, headed by Major Grant. The band followed and then came the diminutive mascot of the Utah boys, a little chap of perhaps 13 years, attired in a uniform of the regiment and carrying a silver flagon. The welcome the Utah troops received was fully as demonstrative as that given the Nebraska boys who had preceded them.

Bringing up the rear of the procession was troop F, of the Sixth cavalry and the Third artillery.

In the reviewing stand on Vanness avenue were General Shafter, Governor Poynter, of Nebraska, and several members of his staff, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson and their friends and ladies. As the Nebraska and Utah boys passed the stand they cheered for General Shafter and Governor Poynter and the gentlemen and ladies returned the compliment by saluting and waving handkerchiefs and flags. The troops will remain in camp until they are mustered out, the exact date not having yet been determined.

A YOUNG GIRL MURDERED.

Shot and Killed by a Graduate of Carlisle Indian School.

AMHERST, Mass., July 31.—Eugene Pakaphuer, a graduate from the Indian school at Carlisle, Pa., shot and killed Edith Morrell, aged 17 years, at the home of Mrs. S. J. Morrell, in South Amherst, early this evening. The Indian had been employed on the farm for about a year, and during that time had paid much attention to the girl. The murder, without doubt, was the result of Miss Morrell's refusal of his attentions. It would seem, from statements made by friends of the family, that the Indian and the girl had been quite friendly, the former taking the latter to parties and on drives. Of late it was noticed that Miss Morrell had repelled Pekaphuer's attentions because she had said they were obnoxious. The Indian became so jealous that his behavior around the farm was very disagreeable and this morning it was found necessary to order him off the farm and give him his discharge. Before the afternoon the Indian came to Amherst and bought a 22-calibre revolver. He returned immediately to South Amherst and going to the house shot Edith twice in the head. The Indian then went up-stairs and told Mrs. Morrell that he had shot Edith and he was going to set the buildings on fire and then shoot himself. He went to the barn and a few minutes later flames broke out there and the fire which followed destroyed the house, barn and outbuildings.

After the Indian informed Mrs. Morrell of what he had done she went down stairs and found Edith on the floor. She ran to a neighbor's house and got the assistance of two men who removed the girl to a nearby building, where she died in a few minutes.

Up to a late hour to-night no trace had been found of the Indian. The police think he is hiding in the woods and they are searching for him.

President Will Receive Dewey.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—President McKinley will give a reception to Admiral Dewey at the white house when the latter arrives in Washington. At first he was in doubt whether a reception or dinner would be more appropriate, but the former is likely to be decided on for the reason that it would be more popular in character and would grant to a multitude of people an opportunity to meet the naval hero and shake hands with him. The admiral will occupy a place in the line of the receiving party, the president coming first, Mrs. McKinley next and then the admiral, the introductions being made as usual by Col. Bingham.

Later on the expectation is that a dinner also will be given to the admiral at the white house and this, following the custom of the state dinners, will be a festivity of some elaborateness. The admiral is expected to come to Washington very soon after reaching New York.

If Dewey Visits Italian Ports.

ROME, July 31.—The Italian government has just received a long cable report from its consul at New Orleans respecting the Tallulah lynchings. The report confirms the reported intention to press the demand for adequate compensation for the victims' families and relatives. The consul positively declares that four of the five Italians lynched could have had no connection with the shooting of Dr. Hodges. He fears that there is little chance of discovering the lynchers and none whatever of bringing them to justice even if they are found.

Some of the Italian newspapers are beginning to get excited over the lynchings, and the government is considering whether or not it would be prudent to ask the Washington government to request Admiral Dewey to abandon his projected visit to Italian ports. It is rumored here that Secretary Long has already anticipated this request. It is earnestly hoped that if the Olympia does call at Naples and Genoa, in accordance with the original arrangement, the admiral will give his sailors no shore leave, otherwise trouble is certain to follow.

Alger's Welcome Home.

Detroit, July 25.—Plans for the reception of Secretary Alger upon his return to his home city were partially completed yesterday. Gen. Alger will be met by the reception committee at some point en route from Washington. On arrival he will be met by all the marching organizations of the city which care to join in the demonstration. The general will be escorted to the city hall, where a formal presentation to the gathered crowds will be made in front of the hall by the mayor and Governor. Then there will be a public reception in the corridor of the city hall, followed by a meeting, to be addressed by prominent citizens. Gov. Pingree favored the idea of holding a genuine "indignation" meeting, following the public reception. Mayor Maybury raised the question whether such expressions would not embarrass and displease Gen. Alger rather than otherwise, but the Governor's mass meeting idea prevailed.

Prodigy on the Stage.

LOS ANGELES, July 31.—Madame Helen Modjeska has found a prodigy in the person of Bessie Buskirk, a 6 years old who recently executed a cake walk at the Elks' banquet, and Bessie has been engaged to play in Madame Modjeska's company.

Accompanied by her mother, the little girl will leave soon for San Diego, where the company will be organized for the season. Mrs. Buskirk will also be a member of the company.

On September 1 the young lady will appear as the Little King in "Marie Antoinette" at a Los Angeles theatre. Madame Modjeska expresses her belief that the little girl is one of the coming stars of the modern stage. The last time Louis James was in Los Angeles he saw some of Bessie's work, and remarked that in his judgment the little girl was destined to be a star.

Entered a Claim for $100,000.

Wilkesbarre, August 1.—Edward Gottfried, a consuler agent for the United Stater in the district of Trujido, Peru, who has filed a claim for $100,000 damages against the Peruvian government through the state department at Washington, is a native of Wilkesbarre. He went to Peru twenty years ago and entered business. He became wealthy. During the rebellion of 1895 the rebels attacked his property, and when he endeavored to defend it he was taken to the public square of the town, strung up by the thumbs and otherwise maltreated. He still suffers from his injuries. The Peruvian government has set up the plea that Gottfried's claim is not a valid one as foreigners were on the same footing as natives during the rebellion.

COL. HAWKINS DEAD!

Sad Home-Coming of the Tenth Pennsylvania.

HAD LONG BEEN A SUFFERER

Illness Dated From Battle of Malolos, Where He Exposed Himself Almost Recklessly in the Fever Climate.

HIS REMAINS WERE BROUGHT HOME

SAN FRANCISCO, August 2.—The United States transport Senator arrived Monday night from Manila with her flag at half mast on account of the death of Colonel Alexander Hawkins, commander of the Tenth Pennsylvania regiment, United States volunteers.

The Senator sailed from Manila on July 1 with thirty-eight officers and 721 enlisted men. The transport was at Nagasakie on July 14, when Colonel Hawkins was taken ill with cancer of the bowels, from which he had been a sufferer during the greater part of his campaign in the Philippines and for which he had undergone treatment in the military hospital at Manila. His illness continued during the following day July 16, when the Senator was at Yokohama, and two days later he passed away at sea.

Colonel Hawkin's illness dated from the battle of Malolos, when he exposed himself almost recklessly in the disease-breeding climate. He was respected and loved by every man of his command, and his death is deeply mourned by the troops. His body was placed in a hermetically sealed casket, and on the Sunday following his death impressive services were conducted by the chaplain of the regiment, all of his men being in [illegible]

[illegible] were placed in the stern of the vessel and lay in state, attended day and night by a guard of honor, during the remainder of the voyage. The casket will be taken ashore to-day with ceremonies befitting Colonel Hawkin's rank, after which the remains of the dead commander will be sent to Pennsylvania for interment.

After the death of Colonel Hawkins, the command of the regiment was vested in Lieutenant Colonel Barnett, who like the dead commander, is popular among the enlisted men, and made a good record in the war.

Of the 759 officers and men whom Colonel Barnett brought to San Francisco three are privates in the Sixth artillery, United States army, and one is a member of the Nebraska regiment who was left behind at Yokohama when his companions sailed for this port on the Hancock. A dozen stowaways were also concealed in the hold and were soon brought to light after leaving Yokohama.

Colonel Alexander Hawkins was mustered into the United States service with the officers and enlisted men of his regiment at Mount Gretna, May 11, 1898. He was ordered to the Philippines May 20, 1898. He was the senior colonel of the Pennsylvania National Guard and has many warm friends in the Fifth regiment. He had an honorable record as a soldier during the civil war and served as colonel of the now famous Tenth Pennsylvania for over twenty years while in the service of the state. What he and his regiment have done in the war on the other side of the world is now a part of the history of the campaigns that took place. His death leaves Colonel Theo. Burchfield the senior regimental commander of the National Guard of Pennsylvania.

A Fish Hook Through her Finger.

Mrs. John Myers, a widow residing near the toll gate above Mill Hall, while walking on her premises Monday evening, ran her hand along the fence when she felt something pricking it. She gave a sudden jerk, when a fish hook, which was attached to a rod and line, which were lying on the rail, was forced clear through one of her fingers, a physician was summoned, who extracted the hook. The sufferings of the lady were intense.

Lumber Will Advance.

A dispatch from Minneapolis says: Lumber advanced another fifty cents straight to-day, this being the fifth marked advance in price this year. It has been many years since there was such a demand as the present season has shown, and even with the advancing prices the demand continues to exceed the supply. It seems that elevator builders, who are using "cribbing" in great quantities, will soon have to resort either to the higher grade of cribbing, which is almost too expensive for the purpose, or take to steel for elevator building.

BUSINESS MEN'S PICNIC.

Officers and Members of Executive Committee of the Association.

A circular letter signed by President Sechler and Secretary Meyer of the Centre and Clinton County Business Men's association, is being sent out announcing the date of the annual picnic Thursday, August 31, which is to be held at Hecla park. The officers of the association are as follows: H. Sechler president, Bellefonte; G. L. Morelock vice president, Lock Haven; J. C. Meyer secretary, Bellefonte; G. W. Fredericks treasurer, Flemington.

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The circular letter reads as follows:

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of this Association, held at Hecla Park, Monday July 17th, 1899, it was decided to hold the Fourth Annual Picnic on Thursday, August 31st, 1899. In case of rain on that day the Picnic will be postponed to the day following.

We trust you fully appreciate that the purpose of this Association is to call every "busy man," be he merchant, manufacturer, artisan, day laborer or professional man, from his usual round of toil and drudgery, to enjoy the recreation to be found in "a day in the woods." Membership in the Association calls for no contribution but is open for every honorable representative of the great family of bread winners. Not a cent is lost by shutting up shop for one day and gathering for a mutual interchange of views and neighborly greeting under the most favorable circumstances.

A delightful program of amusements is being arranged, and we can assure every one who attends a whole day of entertainment. The outlook is truly gratifying for the largest participation on the part of every department of business in the two Counties yet experienced, and your earnest co-operation is all that is needed to make this an assured fact. Talk the matter over with your neighbor and conclude to devote at least one day to wholesome, innocent, inexpensive pleasure. The usual low excursion rates will prevail. Meals can be had on the grounds, and beautiful Hecla Park will be in holiday dress to receive you.

Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague Dead.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague, wife of a former governor of Rhode Island and the daughter of the late Salmon P. Chase, governor of Ohio, United States senator and chief justice of the United States supreme court, died at her homestead, "Edgewood," in Washington's suburbs, early this morning.

She was 59 years of age. For three months she had been suffering with a complication of liver and kidney troubles, but had consented to medical treatment only ten days ago. She grew steadily worse and the end came a few minutes after 3 o'clock this morning. At the bedside were her three daughters, Miss Kitty Sprague, who lived with her mother; Miss Portia Sprague, of Narragansett Pier, and Mrs. Donaldson, of Brooklyn, N. Y. The funeral arrangements have not been completed, but the remains probably will be interred at Columbus, O., her father's old home.

The Widow Nelson's Little Son.

Fifty years ago a Norwegian widow named Nelson and her son, aged six years, got off the cars at Chicago. She had a little ready money, but was in debt, having been forced to borrow $35 from friends at home for the expenses of her long journey to America. This week, if nothing occurs to detain him, her son—now Hon. Knute Nelson, ex-Governor of Minnesota, Senator of the United States—will be off for a visit to Berge, his native town, which he hasn't seen since he left it, his small hand in his mother's, in the spring of 1849.—Boston Transcript.

THOSE IMMIGRANTS.

Mr. Weihe Tells of the Contract Labor System.

THE QUESTION OF WAGES UP

Are the Italians Who Come Here to be Regarded as Colonists is a Matter Which was Up for Discussion.

PADRONES WERE UNDER DISCUSSION

NEW YORK, July 27.—Mr. Weihe, president of the contract labor bureau, who was formerly president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, said before the industrial commission that 5 per cent. of all the cheap labor coming here, Slovaks, Polaks and Russian Poles, went to Pennsylvania, where they not only worked on railroads and in the mines, but entered into competition in the industrial centres in the iron and glass works.

"It has been shown," said Mr. Weihe, "that the mine bosses give the preference to foreigners, even when skilled American workmen offer to work for the same wages. In 1897 a tin plate mill at Harrisburg sent to this country two roll turners from Wales at $35 and $30 a week respectively. He had the letters sent to these men in which the salaries were promised. They were written on the company's letter head by the manager. These men came here and went to work. I could not prove that the president had authorized the manager to hire the men, and as the manager was a hired man the company could not be prosecuted.

Dr. Rossi, chief of the Italian bureau at the labor office, said his bureau was supported by the Italian government. His government did not encourage immigration to this country. The bureau had been established here to regulate the Padrone system and for the purpose of keeping a record of Italian immigrants arriving in this country.

While he would not say his bureau had destroyed the Padrone system, yet he had been able to prevent many new arrivals from Italy coming into contact with the bankers and Padrones in this city.

"Do you still regard Italian immigrants in this country as colonists?" asked Chairman Smythe.

"We consider as colonists all Italians who have not taken out naturalization papers and notified the Italian government that they should renounce allegiance to King Humbert."

"Is it true that you issued a circular on April 21 last, in which you said that owing to the war with Spain, labor and industry had ceased in this country, and advised your government not to grant passports to intending immigrants?"

"No, the person who gave you such information did not understand my Italian circular. Many persons were arriving from Italy with insufficient funds, and I simply called upon the government to urge upon the mayors and prefects the necessity of being careful in issuing passports, the more so as this country was engaged in a war and industrial enterprises were in a measure suspended."

"We have been informed that certain Italian government officials are interested in sending contract laborers to this country, and share the profits with the Padrone," said Major Farquahar.

"I do not believe it possible, "said Dr. Rossie. "I should like names and data. American foremen acting for American contractors have been employing the methods of the Padrones, in which we have been able to repress the operations of the latter."

Commissioner McSweeney was called and examined on several minor matters, and the convention then adjourned to meet in 1900 in September.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Pills are the best.

—The rear of the Coal Exchange hotel at Philipsburg, took fire from one of the flues at about a quarter of nine o'clock Tuesday July 25. The firemen quickly turned out in response to the alarm, and extinguished the flames before they had gained any headway. The damage was trifling.

It cannot be denied that the late "Bob" Ingersoll had traits which earned the love of man for him.

Constipation, Headache, Biliousness, Heartburn, Indigestion, Dizziness,

Indicate that your liver is out of order. The best medicine to rouse the liver and cure all these ills, is found in

Hood's Pills

25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

First in His Own Cemetery.

James McIntyre, a wealthy farmer, of Blair township, Blair county, recently laid out a cemetery on his farm for the free use of his neighbors, no other being near. While putting the finishing touches to the work of fencing in the plot McIntyre was stricken with paralysis and died. On Saturday he was laid in the first grave to be dug in the new cemetery.

Buried Over 100 Feet.

James E. Van Kuren was run down and killed by a Northern Central express train at Fassett, near Canton, Pa., Thursday. He was 80 years old and quite deaf. He was walking along the track and the engineer did everything possible to warn him, but without avail. The old man was hurled over 100 feet and frightfully mangled.

A Lady's Perfect Companion.

Painless Childbirth, our new book, tells how any woman may become a mother without suffering any pain whatever. Also how to treat and overcome morning sickness, swelled limbs and other evils attending pregnancy. It is reliable and highly endorsed by physicians as the wife's true private companion. Send two-cent stamp for descriptive circulars and confidential letter sent in sealed envelope Address FRANK THOMAS & Co., Publishers, Baltimore, Md. je1-3m

His Life was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo, lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever, that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of Consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong, I can't say to much in its praise." This marvelous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free at F. Potts Greens Drug Store; every bottle guaranteed.

To Allay the Dust.

The New York Central road has placed an order for 18,000 gallons of crude oil to be used for dust allaying purposes. Nearly all the larger roads in the east, after experimenting with crude oil as a means of allaying the dust that rises from the tracks with a passage of trains, have adopted a plan for sprinkling the oil between the rails, and so far the results have been successful. After the first treatment the roadbed need only be sprinkled twice a year, and then with only a slight spray.

Where the Boys are on Strike.

CINCINNATI, July 29.—The messenger boys' strike was continued Wednesday, but the lawlessness attending it heretofore was much lessened by more active work of the police. Several new messengers were attacked and beaten early Thursday, but the police rendered prompt assistance. Throughout the day policemen escorted the messengers and no crowds were allowed to collect. The newsboys' strike also continues, as the afternoon newspapers have not yielded to their demands.

LATER.—The evening newspapers reconsidered their decision about accepting unsold papers and offered a compromise, which was accepted, and the papers were again on the streets Thursday. The compromise consisted in consenting to receive all unsold papers of the first two editions, the later editions to be bought at the newsboys' risk. No change was made in the price of the papers.

PITTSBURG, July 29.—The strike of Western Union Telegraph messengers ended Thursday and they are all at work again.

They claim that the company has promised to concede their demands, but this is denied by the officials.

About thirty postal messengers struck Thursday for the same pay and hours demanded by the Western Union boys. They are still out, and the officials say they will remain out, unless they return at the old terms.

The strikers made no attempt to interfere with the boys still working.

NEW YORK, July 29.—The messenger boys' strike has not been officially declared off, for there is no leader or committee to make such announcement, but the strike is at an end so far as inconveniencing the companies or there being any considerable number of strikers is concerned.

Drink Grain-O.

after you have concluded that you ought not to drink coffee. It is not a medicine but doctors order it, because it is healthful, invigorating and appetizing. It is made from pure grains and has that rich seal brown color and tastes like the finest grades of coffee and costs about ¼ as much. Children thrive on it because it is a genuine food drink containing nothing but nourishment. 15 and 25c. at grocers.

CANDLER'S IDEA.

Governor of Georgia Tells of the Recent Lynching.

GIVES EXPRESSION TO HIS VIEWS

Intermeddling by "Fools and Fanatics" Who Know Nothing of the Situation Is in His Belief the Entire Cause.

THE NEGRO AND THE BALLOT

ATLANTA, Ga., July 29.—Governor Candler, since the Bainbridge series of lynchings has been asked by newspapers in various parts of the country to give his opinions on the race question in the south, and in reply to one of them the governor has fully and freely expressed his views as to the cause of the conflicts and the remedy therefor. The governor believes the present day cause of the uprisings arises from intermeddling with the relations of the whites and the blacks in the south by "fools and fanatics" who know nothing about the situation, but think the whole trouble dates from the day of emancipation. Governor Candler believes a restricted suffrage will remedy the evil; that the ballot be given only the intelligent negro. As to the disposition to be made of the large percentage of illiterate negroes the governor makes no suggestion. The governor begins his paper by referring to the emancipation, contrasting the treatment of negroes by the white people of the south before the war to that of the "Carpet baggers" immediately after they left.

The governor says that before the ballot was put into the negroes hands, he was well contented without it. Continuing the governor says that after his emancipation, carpet baggers, calling themselves republicans, but really only a band of marauders, took charge of him and "falsely taught the negroes that the southern white men were solely responsible for their enslavement and were their worst and only enemies, and that therefore it was their duty and to their interest to vote against them and their party."

"These evil teachings had but little permanent effect upon the grown up negroes, but upon the children, the generation which has grown to manhood since that time, the effect has been most effectual. These are prime causes of the alienation of the negroes."

The governor then refers to the intermeddling of the race with people who know nothing of the situation, and continuing he says:

"A few abandoned, reckless, criminal negroes are responsible for all the rapes and lynchings that have occured, and their influence on those around them is deplorably bad and far reaching. Because some negroes commit rape the whole race suffers, so because some white men lynch rapists all the white people of the south are abused.

"It is a singular fact, too, that the pharisaical fanatics who have most to say about 'Apaches,' 'southern barbarians,' etc., always lay stress upon the atrocity of the negroes, and I have never heard of one of them saying or doing anything to discourage the crime which provoked it."

Corrupt politics, the governor says, is another continually present cause which contributes to any friction. In this connection the governor says: "The greatest crime ever perpetuated, not only against American ideals and institutions and human liberty, but against the southern negro was when without preparation he was clothed with all the rights and privileges and responsibilities of citizenship."

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A Serious Collision.

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, July 29.—Ten men were badly injured and a large number of others bruised and cut in a collision yesterday between a work train on the Cleveland and Pittsburg railroad and a shifting engine near Mingo Junction.

The most seriously injured were John Bowen, James Nailen, Thomas McCleanan, Isaac Thompson, William McCarty, Oscar Bell, Edward Porter, Matt Martin, John Sullivan and John Holleran.

The work train was running at a high rate of speed when the accident happened. Both engines were demolished and the cars carrying the workmen were piled up in a heap, many of the men being buried beneath the debris. The injured were removed to the hospital in this city. The accident was caused by a misplaced switch.

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It Grew on Sunday.

In a country town not far from New York an old-fashioned preacher had exhorted his flock one Sunday not to read the Sunday newspapers. On the following Monday he was strolling through the market place when he spied some unusually fine asparagus, a vegetable of which he was almost gluttonously fond, in the stall of one of his parishioners.

"Mr. Smith," said the parson, "I will buy some of your asparagus, if it is not to dear."

Now, Smith was a confirmed reader of His Sunday newspaper, and the sermon had not pleased him at all. He decided to play a joke on his pastor. Moreover, he had sold his asparagus already, though he said not a word about that.

"I am sorry, doctor," said the crafty Smith, "but I would not like to have it on my conscience that I sold such 'grass' as that."

"What is the matter with it?" exclaimed the preacher in surprise. "I never saw finer."

"Oh, it's all right that way," said Smith, "but, you see, I picked it only early this morning. It sprang up and grew on Sunday."—N. Y. Tribune.

Anglo-American Monument.

The English and Americans who were killed during the recent trouble in Samoa will be commemorated by a joint monument, which will prove stronger tie between the two peoples than a score of parchment promises. It will be composed of granite, with the names of the Americans engraved upon one panel and the British on the other, the flags of the two countries being intertwined above the roll of the dead.

The Largest Stamp Mill.

The largest stamp mill in the world just started up at the old Treadwell gold mine, on Douglas Island, Alaska, has 60 batteries, each of five stamps, and each having a crushing capacity of four tons daily. The Treadwell mines now operate 880 stamps, and crush 3520 tons of ore daily, representing $14,000.

Insurrection is contageous. A Filipino priest has proclaimed himself Vicar General of all the priests in the territory under Aguinaldo's control, and declared the independence of the church in the Philippines from Spanish control. The arch bishop of the district promptly excommunicated the would-be Vicar General.

Sir Wilfred Laurier, like politicians nearer home, probably often says things he doesn't in the least mean for instance, that the Alaskan boundary dispute could only be settled by war or arbitration. This goverment has declined arbitration, but there will be no war.

Col. Bryan is credited with having made $200,000 in the last two years and a half, which is almost double the amount of salary President McKinley has drawn. It seems that Fitzsimmons wasn't the first defeated man who got the big financial end.

—While excavating the cellar for the new Laporte hotel at Williamsport, workmen blasted from the rock a quantity of fossilized substances among which was a petrified eel measuring four feet in leangth.

More men were killed and wounded by the railroads, last year, than by the war with Spain, which shows that soldiering is not the most dangerous occupation.

The latest across-the-continent bicycle fiend is a one armed messenger boy, nineteen years old-old enough to be putting his time to something more useful.

Somehow it seems odd to read about the authorities putting a stop to public gambling in Havana, so general is the idea that gambling is one of the permanent occupations of that city

An East Tennessee Sunday School superintendent was caught making moonshine whiskey and arrested. He must be one of the chaps that regard moonshining as a legitimate occupation.

It is safe enough to predict that the friends of Secretary Root will all become ardent administration rooters.

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Died from Eating Canned Fruit.

PHILADELPHIA, July 28.—Frank W. Bartlett, of this city, who died Wednesday at the Inns of Court hotel, London, as a result of eating canned fruit, was the head of the Frank W. Bartlett Tourist agency, of this city. He was about 55 years of age and had been in the tourist business for twenty years. He left here on his annual summer tour on July 1, and sailed from New York the same day on the City of Rome, having in charge 100 tourists who expected to spend several months in Great Britain and on the continent. The party was due here October 1. Mr. Bartlett leaves a widow and a 15-year-old son, who at present are summering in Maine.

No Right To Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at F. Potts Green's Drug Store.

A Sop for Uncle Sam.

LONDON, July 28.—The United States ambassador, Mr. Joseph H. Choate, speaking at a luncheon of the Staffordshire Agricultural society show at Wolverhampton Wednesday, said that he believed no question could ever arise between Great Britain and the United States to interrupt the constant peace which had held them together during the last eighty-five years. They would, he hoped, never leave each other in the lurch; and he expressed the belief that they would cultivate the same spirit of civilization, justice and freedom which is the real foundation of both governments.

Jersey Shore Man Robbed.

Late Tuesday night, as James Junod was going down the Beech Creek railroad, a highwayman stepped out of the shadow of a car near Jersey Shore and ordered him to put up his hands, at the same time thrusting a dangerous looking revolver in his face.

"Hold them higher," the fellow demanded, when Junod attempted to pull his hands down. Then the highwayman went through Junod's clothes and took all his money and valuables. "Now go home to your mama," said the robber, as he disappeared in the darkness.

New Form of Money Order.

The postoffice department is contemplating the introduction of a new form of postal money order. It will be made to conform to the size of an ordinary bank check, and the marginal figures heretofore printed on the order will no longer be used. A receipt will also be given the remitter at the time of purchase of the order. The new form will be much more convenient for handling by the people and the banks, and will be introduced about September 15, 1899.

The Canadian Government is playing with dynamite in using the Alaskan boundary question to play local politics with.

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Additional Locals.

—The Methodist Sunday school of Milesburg, picnicked at Hecla Park Thursday.

—Fred Blanchard, who graduated from Princeton College last June has entered as a law student in the office of Beaver and Dale.

—The first pension granted in this vicinity as a result of the Spanish-American war was that given to Mrs. Sarah E. Garis, widow of Serg't Charles Garis, Co. B, 5th Pennsylvania Volunteers.

—J. C. Meyer Esq., of this place, has been appointed a member of the notification committee which will meet in Williamsport at an early date to notify the State candidates on the Democratic ticket of their nominations.

—State Veterinarian Pearson states that an epidemic of anthrax in Bedford County is feared. Six horses have died from the disease and two more are affected. The disease originally came from China with a lot of hides for a tannery in the county.

—Deputy Secretary of Agriculture Martin says the peach crop this year will be almost an entire failure. The spring and summer have been especially hard on the tender peach trees, and the harvest even in Delaware County will be small.

—John Brown, an employe of Jenkins & Lingle had his foot smashed Friday morning about 11 o'clock. He was helping to lift a large casting when it fell striking him on the foot with the result that several bones were broken and the foot badly crushed.

—Last week the first locks were made at the Houser Springless Lock Company's works in this place. The expensive and tedious dies have all been made and the material that was so hard to procure, owing to the shortage in the iron market, has all been received at the works and now all that is needed to make things go is the orders.

—George B. Snyder, of State College, has been elected second assistant principal of the Lock Haven High school. Although a native of Blanchard he really belongs to State College, where he resides with his sister Mrs. Robert Foster, and from where he graduated in 1895 with the distinction of being the youngest in the class of forty, as well as the prize man in mathematics.

—In the United States health report for June 15 there appears a vigorous warning against the use of poor cooking utensils and a citation of several cases in which persons were poisoned by eating cakes, the cream of which was cooked in a cheap, so called "enamel kettle." The housewife should be on guard against spurious enamel ware, in the manufacture of which lead, arsenic, antimony and other poisons are used.

—George, the 10 year old son of Frank Beckwith who lives near Mt. Pleasant, above Port Matilda, had one of his legs torn off at the ankle by a mowing machine a few days ago. He was standing in front of the machine which Robert Reese was driving, when the horses started suddenly and before the boy could get out of the way the knives struck him with the above terrible result. He was taken to the Cottage hospital in Philipsburg for treatment.

—The capacity of the lime kilns, of A. G. Morris, at this place, are to be enlarged. A big contract extending over a long period of time has been made with the acetylene gas plant at Niagara Falls which will necessitate the erecting of fifteen more Kilns at once. Ten will be located at Armor's Gap and five on Buffalo Run. Their daily out-put will be nine cars, which is only half of the amount needed by the Niagara concern and I Mr. Morris can land the balance of the order fifteen additional kilns will be built.

—Of the four hundred and twenty-five applicants for license to practice medicine in the State as Allopathic physicians at the recent examination, in Philadelphia, H. S. Alexander, of Potter's Mills; John T. Robinson, of State College; George D. Green, of Briarly, and Lee B. Woodcock and Eloise Meek, of this place, were among three hundred and seventy-five who passed the examination. As each one of the applicants were obliged to pay a fee of twenty-five dollars the seven examiners representing the State Medical society netted the neat little sum of more than $1,500 a piece for their four day's work. Two examinations are held each year and as the list of would-be-doctors is gradually increasing they are likely to clear for the members of the board hereafter more than $3,000 annually.

The introduction of explosives into the Cleveland Street railway strike set a very bad precedent.

General Alger still has many warm friends in Michigan, if one may judge from the talk about his resignation.

Gov. Tanner, of Ill., may find his recent public violation of the Colorado game laws, a much more serious matter than he supposed it to be.

THE Czar of Russia is a great admirer of America and of Admiral Dewey.

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More Discoveries in Alaska.

TACOMA, Wash., July 29.—The scientists who went to Alaska a month ago as the guests of E. Harriman, of New York, are meeting with unqualified success.

They have made several important discoveries, among which is an immense bay extending 20 miles inland. At the upper end of the bay they found a great glacier, inferior only to Muir glacier in size. Four other new glaciers which had never been seen by white men, were found at the head of Disenchantment bay. In Icy bay, opposite Carroll's glaciers, an immense glacier three-quarters of a mile in width was discovered.

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HARRISBURG, July 27.—Attorney General Elkin made application to the Dauphin county court this afternoon for a receiver for the North American Life and Surety company of Philadelphia, on the ground of insolvency. The court fixed August 8 for a hearing on the rule. The court also granted a rule showing cause why a receiver should not be appointed for the textile Mutual Fire Insurance company, Automatic Mutual Fire Insurance company, Arlington Mutual Fire Insurance company and the Protective Mutual Fire Insurance company, of Philadelphia' on appplication of the attorney general. The rule in the case of these companies was made returnable on Angust 2.

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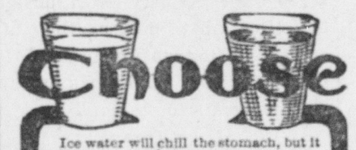

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A Sad Accident.

S. H. Rhoades, of Unionville, well known in Bellefonte, having been a member of Co. B, 5th Pa. volunteers during the late unpleasantness with Spain, met with an accident last Friday morning which results in the loss of his left leg above the knee and the crushing of his right foot. He was breaking on a freight train running between Lilly and Gallitzen, and was stationed on the front car. Suddenly the break chain broke separating the cars from the engine. Rhoades was thrown between the engine and the cars, the latter passing over his body with the above result. The unfortunate man was taken to the Altoona hospital where amputation was performed. Rhoades belonged to the Brotherhood of Trainmen and as a result will receive $1200 damages for his injury.

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A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will leave Pittsburg on above mentioned dates at 8.55 a. m., arriving at Altoona 12.15 p. m., where stop for dinner will be made, reaching Philadelphia 6.25 p. m., and arriving at Atlantic City, via the Delaware River Bridge route, the *only all-rail line*, at 8.40 p. m. Passengers may also spend the night in Philadelphia, and proceed to the shore by any regular train from Market Street Wharf or Broad Street Station on the following day.

A stop-over of ten days will also be allowed at Philadelphia on the going trip, if passengers will deposit their tickets with the Ticket Agent at Broad Street Station Philadelphia, immediately on arrival.

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Bellwood	8 00	12.46 p. m.
Curwensville	8 25	9.15 a. m.
Clearfield	8 00	9.31 "
Philipsburg	8 00	10.12 "
Madera	8 45	8.07 "
Houtzdale	8 25	8.53 "
Osceola	8 00	10.23 "
Bellefonte (via Tyrone)	7 65	9.53 "
Tyrone	7 65	12 56 p. m.
Philadelphia.....Arrive	.....	6 25 "
Atlantic City,...Arrive	.....	8.40 "

Tickets will also be good on regular trains leaving Pittsburg at 4.50 and 8.30 p. m., carrying sleeping cars to Philadelphia, and 7.05 p. m., carrying Pullman sleeping cars *through to Atlantic City*.

For detailed information in regard to rates and time of trains apply to ticket agents or Mr. Thomas E. Watt, District Passenger Agent, Pittsburg.

Married at Lock Haven.

The Reformed church parsonage at Lock Haven was the scene of a quiet wedding Tuesday evening July 25th. The happy parties to this important event were Matthew R. Beck, one of Lock Haven's well known printers, and Miss Lillie A. Baney, of Bellefonte. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. Derr, pastor of the Reformed church of Lock Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Beck arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday afternoon and are now stopping with Mrs. Beck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Baney, of Bush Addition.

Mr. Beck has not decided as to where he will make his future home but he is very much pleased with Bellefonte and may locate here.

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The Bottle Exploded.

Charles Snook, aged 20, residing on a farm near Sunbury, lost his right eye a few days ago. To make a summer beverage which he was mixing, effervesce more, he dropped a small quantity of soda in each of the bottles. He then shook one of the bottles, when it exploded with a loud report. Pieces of glass flew in every direction. Some of the pieces struck Snook in the face, all inflicting slight cuts except one jagged piece which struck him in the outside corner of the right eye and cut a deep gash directly across the centre of the ball and into the base of the nose. Medical aid was secured at once but to no avail as the aqueous humor of the organ had escaped as soon as penetrated by the glass and there was nothing left for the physician to do but to bandage up the injury and apply an emolient to allay pain.

Conductor (pointing to a sign, "No smoking")—"Don't you see that sign; can't you read?"

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An Olympia Sailor Dead.

TRIESTE, July 29.—Captain Lamberton and the other officers of the United States cruiser Olympia Thursday attended the funeral of the sailors who were killed recently by an explosion on board the Austrian topedo boat Adler, and Admiral Dewey drove through the suburbs of the city.

It is now expected that the Olympia will arrive in New York by September 30. One of the two seamen who were recently taken from the cruiser to the Trenton hospital died.

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Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.10 a m, at Altoona 1 p m, at Pittsburg 5.50 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.15 p m, at Altoona 3.10 p m, at Pittsburg 6.55 p m

Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Altoona 7.40 p m, at Pittsburg 11.30 p m

Via Tyrone—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.10, at Harrisburg 2.40 p m, at Philidelphia 5.47 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.15 p m, at Harrisburg 6.45 p m, at Philadelphia 10.20 p m

Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Harrisburg 10 p m

Via Lock Haven—Northward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m

Leave Bellefonte 1.42 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.43 p m, at Williamsport 3.50 p m

Leave Bellefonte 8.31 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9.30 p m

Via Lock Haven—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m, leave Williamsport 12.40 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.20 p m, at Philadelphia at 6.23 p m

Leave Bellefonte 1.42 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.43 p m, arrive at Williamsport 3.50 p m, leave 4.00 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 6.55 p m, Philadelphia 10.20 p m

Leave Bellefonte 8.31 p m arrive at Lock Haven 9.30 p m, leave Williamsport 12.50 a m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.50 a m, arrive at Philadelphia 6.52 a m

Via Lewisburg.

Leave Bellefonte at 6.40 a m, arrive at Lewisburg at 9.05 a m, Montandon 9.15 a m, Harrisburg 11.30 a m, Philadelphia 3.00 p m.

Leave Bellefonte 2.15 p m, arrive at Lewisburg 4.47, at Harrisburg 6.55 p m, Philadelphia at 10.20 p m

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TYRONE AND CLEARFIELD RAILROAD. Time table in effect July, 10, 1899.

NORTHWARD. EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.	STATIONS.	SOUTHWARD. EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.
P M	P M	A M	Lv Ar	P M	A M	P M
7 20	3 20	8 20	.... Tyrone	3 55	11 20	6 10
7 26	3 26	8 26	...East Tyrone..	3 49	11 14	6 04
7 28	3 28	8 28	.....Tyrone S.....		11 12	6 02
7 31	3 30	8 31	..... Vail	3 45	11 09	5 57
7 41	3 40	8 42	...Vanscoyoc...	3 38	11 02	5 52
7 45	3 44	8 47	.....Gardner	3 35	10 59	5 48
7 54	3 53	8 57	...Mt. Pleasant..	3 27	10 51	5 39
8 00	3 59	9 05	.....Summit	3 20	10 44	5 32
8 05	4 03	9 09	...Sandy Ridge..	3 14	10 38	5 27
8 06	4 05	9 11	.....Retort	3 11	10 35	5 25
8 07	4 06	9 12	..... Powelton	3 09	10 33	5 19
8 15	4 12	9 19	..... Osceola	7 59	10 23	5 09
		9 26	.Osceola Junct.		10 20	5 04
8 19	4 16	9 29	.....Boynton.....	7 55	10 17	5 01
8 23	4 20	9 32	.....Steiners	7 51	10 13	4 57
8 26	4 23	9 40	...Philipsburg ...	7 50	10 12	4 56
8 31	4 29	9 45	.....Graham	7 46	10 07	4 51
8 36	4 34	9 50	.....Blue Ball.....	7 41	10 02	4 46
8 42	4 40	9 56	.....Wallaceton...	7 36	9 56	4 39
8 47	4 45	10 02	.....Bigler	7 31	9 50	4 33
8 53	4 50	10 08	.....Woodland....	7 25	9 45	4 27
8 56	4 54	10 11	Mineral Spri'gs	7 23	9 42	4 25
9 00	4 58	10 15	..... Barrett	7 21	9 39	4 20
9 05	5 03	10 22	.....Leonard.....	7 17	9 35	4 15
9 09	5 07	10 26	.....Clearfield	7 13	9 31	4 09
9 14	5 12	10 32	.....Riverview....	7 09	9 26	4 03
9 20	5 18	10 39	Susque. Bridge	7 04	9 20	3 56
9 25	5 37	10 44	.Curwensville..	7 00	9 15	3 51
	5 48	10 59	.....Rustic.....	6 54		3 35
	5 51	10 58	.....Stronach	6 46		3 27
	5 57	11 04	....Grampian	6 49		3 21
P M	P M	P M	Ar Lv	P M	A M	P M

BALD EAGLE VALLEY—PENNSYLVANIA Railroad Division. Daily except Sunday. Schedule in effect on and after July 10, 1899.

Westward.				Eastward.		
55	53	51		50	52	54
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m
3 45	12 10	8 55	...Lock Haven..	10 50	2 45	9 40
3 49		8 59	... Flemington ...	10 24	2 39	9 26
3 51	12 16	9 01	.....Mill Hall.....	10 22	2 37	9 24
4 02	12 26	9 12	...Beech Creek ..	10 11	2 26	9 13
4 05	12 29	9 15	.....Eagleville....	10 08	2 23	9 10
4 11	12 38	9 24	.....Howard.....	9 59	2 14	9 01
4 20		9 30	...Mount Eagle...	9 53	2 08	8 55
4 25	12 48	9 34	..... Curtin.....	9 49	2 04	8 51
4 32	12 55	9 41	.....Milesburg.....	9 40	1 55	8 43
4 44	1 05	9 54	.....Bellefonte,....	9 28	1 41	8 31
4 53	1 13	10 01	....Milesburg	9 18	1 33	8 23
4 56	1 16	10 04	...Snow Shoe Int...	9 15	1 30	8 20
5 03	1 24	10 11	.....Unionville.....	9 07	1 23	8 12
5 12	1 31	10 20	.....Julian	8 58	1 14	8 03
5 21	1 39	10 28	.....Martha.....	8 49	1 06	7 54
5 26	1 45	10 36	..Port Matilda...	8 42	1 00	7 47
5 35	1 51	10 44	.....Hannah.....	8 35	12 54	7 40
5 37		10 46	.....Fowler.....	8 33	12 52	7 38
5 40		10 49	..... Dix.....	8 30	12 50	7 35
5 46	2 01	10 56	....Bald Eagle...	8 24	12 44	7 29
5 50	2 05	11 00	..... Vail	8 20	12 40	7 25
5 54	2 09	11 04	...East Tyrone...	8 16	12 36	7 21
6 00	2 15	11 10	.....Tyrone.....	8 10	12 30	7 15
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m

Nos. 50 and 55 will run daily.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA. Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN. No. 1	No. 5	No. 3	Nov. 21, 1898. Lv.	Ar.	READ UP No. 6	No. 2	No. 4
a.m.	p.m.	p.m.			p.m	a.m.	p.m
*7 10	*7 50	*2 40	Bellefonte	10 17	9 40	9 16	
7 22	8 09	2 52	Nigh	10 04	9 27	4 57	
7 28	8 08	2 58	Zion	9 59	9 21	4 51	
7 33	8 13	3 03	Hecla Park	9 54	9 16	4 46	
7 35	8 15	3 05	Dunkles	9 52	9 14	4 44	
7 39	8 19	3 09	Hublersburg	9 49	9 11	4 40	
7 43	8 23	3 13	Snydertown	9 46	9 06	4 35	
7 46	8 26	3 16	Nittany	9 44	9 03	4 33	
7 48	8 29	3 18	Huston	9 42	9 00	4 30	
7 51	8 32	3 21	Lamar	9 40	8 57	4 27	
7 53	8 35	3 23	Clintondale	9 38	8 54	4 24	
7 57	8 39	3 27	Krider's S'n'g	9 34	8 49	4 19	
8 02	8 44	3 32	Mackeyville	9 29	8 43	4 13	
8 08	8 50	3 38	Cedar Springs	9 24	8 37	4 07	
8 10	8 52	3 40	Salona	9 22	8 35	4 05	
8 15	8 57	3 45	Mill Hall	*9 17	*8 30	*4 00	
			(BEECH CREEK R. R.)				
11 45			Jersey Shore		7 55	3 25	
12 20	9 50		Arr WM'PORT Lve		7 21	*2 56	
12 34	10 25		Lve WM'PORT Arr		*8 85	2 30	
	11 30		(PHILA AND READING RY)				
8 29			PHILA		11 30	*8 36	
10 40	7 09		NEW YORK		9 00	*4 30	
	*7 30		(Via Phila)				
p.m.			Ar. Lv.		p.m.	a.m.	

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J. W GEHART, General Superintendent.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD. In effect July 10, 1899.

Westward.				Eastward.	
p m	a m			a m	p m
1 38	5 40	.....	Montandon.....	9 15	4 50
1 45	6 35	.....	Lewisburg	9 05	4 47
1 57	6 47	.....	Vicksburg	8 53	4 35
2 05	6 55	.....	Mifflinburg	8 45	4 27
2 15	7 07	.....	Millmont.....	8 33	4 16
2 23	7 13	.....	Glen Iron.....	8 26	4 08
2 51	7 40	.....	Paddy Mountain...	8 00	3 43
3 02	7 50	.....	Coburn	7 50	3 32
3 08	7 57	.....	Zerby.....	7 43	3 25
3 17	8 05	.....	Rising Spring.....	7 35	3 17
3 23	8 11	.....	Penns Cave	7 28	3 10
3 30	8 18	.....	Centre Hall.....	7 22	3 02
3 35	8 24	.....	Gregg	7 17	2 55
3 42	8 31	.....	Linden Hall.....	7 10	2 48
3 46	8 35	.....	Oak Hall.....	7 06	2 43
3 50	8 39	.....	Lemont.....	7 02	2 38
3 54	8 43	.....	Dale Summit	6 57	2 34
4 03	8 52	.....	Pleasant Gap.....	6 48	2 24
4 06	8 55	.....	Axemann	6 45	2 21
4 10	9 00	.....	Bellefonte	6 40	2 16

DELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, April 3rd, 1899, trains will run as follows, leaving the P. R. R. station.

WESTWARD. College Accom. 1*	*5	Exp. *3		EASTWARD. Mail. *2	Exp. *4	Belf Ac 6*
a.m	p m	a m	Lv	Ar	a m	p m	p. m
6 30	4 15	10 30	Bellefonte	8 50	2 45	6 40	
6 35	4 21	10 37	Coleville	8 40	2 25	6 30	
f6 38	f4 25	f10 42	Morris	f 8 37	f2 22	f6 27	
f6 43	f4 28	f10 47	Whitmer	f8 35	f2 17	f6 23	
f6 46	f4 33	f10 53	Hunters	f8 31	f2 10	f6 21	
f6 50	f4 36	f10 56	Filmore	f8 28	f2 06	f6 18	
f6 55	f4 40	f11 02	Briarly	f8 24	f2 00	f6 14	
7 00	4 43	11 05	Waddle	8 20	1 55	6 10	
f7 03	f4 45	f11 08	Lambourn	f8 18	f1 52	f6 07	
f7 12	f4 55	f11 20	Krumrine	f8 07	f1 37	f5 52	
7 25	5 00	11 15	State College	8 00	1 30	5 45	
f7 27	f5 05	f11 24	Struble	f7 45	f1 45	f5 25	
f7 31	f5 10		Bloomsdorf	f7 40		f5 20	
7 35	5 15		Pine Grv Mills	7 35		5 15	

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a m		STATIONS.		p m
11 26	7 27	Arrive Snow Shoe	Leave	7 40	3 15
10 09	6 05	Snow Shoe Intersection		9 15	4 56
10 01	5 55	Milesburg		9 18	5 05
9 53	5 45	Leave Bellefonte	Arrive	9 32	5 20

Altoona and Philipsburg Connecting RAILROAD.

Condensed time table in effect July 10, 1899.

EASTWARD—Week Days.						
Ramey	7 00	7 40	9 00	1 00	4 10	6 20
Houtzdale	7 14	7 58	9 14	1 14	4 24	5 24
Osceola Mills	7 33	8 38	9 33	1 33	4 43	6 43
Philipsburg	7 47	8 56	9 47	1 47	4 57	6 57

WESTWARD—Week Days.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M
Philipsburg	8 00	11 00	3 00	5 10	6 10	8 10
Osceola Mills	8 15	11 15	3 15	5 25	6 25	8 25
Houtzdale	8 34	11 34	3 34	5 44	6 58	8 44
Ramey	8 47	11 47	3 47	5 57	7 10	8 57

Read Down. SUNDAY TRAINS. Read Up.

P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 10	12 43	8 38	..... Ramey	10 27	2 47	8 57
6 24	12 57	8 52	.....Houtzdale.....	10 14	2 34	8 44
6 43	1 16	9 25	...Osceola Mills...	9 55	2 15	8 25
6 57	1 30	9 25	....Philipsburg.....	9 40	2 00	8 10

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11	Suppressed or Painful Periods.....	.25
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14	Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Eruptions..	.25
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EDITORIAL.

OUR CAMPAIGN OFFER.

As the BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN is the recognized official organ of the Republican party in Centre County, and as it is our intention to make a sturdy fight for Republican victory on the State and County ticket this fall, we have decided to offer the REPUBLICAN from now until the close of the campaign for the surprisingly low price of 25 cents. We will not send out any more FREE sample copies so if you want to be in the push send in your subscription now. $1.00 per year if paid in advance or 25 cents for the campaign.

The REPUBLICAN is a clean up-to-date newspaper; publishing all the latest news together with the best miscellany and stories obtainable. Don't forget the offer, tell it to your neighbors, 25 cents for the REPUBLICAN until the close of campaign.

There seems to have been more W. T. Stead than anything else about the recent peace conference at The Hague.

General Wood has chased yellow jack out of Santiago, but he has got a foothold in the Soldier's Home, at Hampton, Va.

With all due respect to Gov Candler, of Ga., the southern negro has no monopoly of trouble caused by fools and politicians.

EMINENT jurists have noted the large decrease of "crimes of brutality and violence" but the increase of crimes "for which brains and ingenuity are required."

THE Peace Conference at The Hague is fast drawing to a close and has accomplished even more than was hoped for. The United States may well be proud of the part taken by her representatives in the conference.

THE members of the Peace Conference recently took part in a memorial service to the Dutch jurist of the Seventeenth century—Hugo Grotius. Coming as it did in the midst of the sessions of the conference, this service was of great interest, for Grotius was the founder of the modern science of international law.

HEARKEN UNTO THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

There seems to be a growing opposition, particularly in Western Pennsylvania, to the nomination of Lieutenant Colonel James E. Barnett, of the "Fighting Tenth", for State Treasurer. The Republicans of his home county—Washington—and adjoining counties, who know him well have a very slight regard for his Republicanism. He is reputed to be a party bolter of long standing and seldom, if ever, has a regular Republican ticket of his own county or district received his undivided support. The State Republican Slate-makers seems determined to compel his nomination even against the judgment and wishes of Mr. Quay who, it is alleged, keenly appreciates the danger attending the forced nomination of a man who is *persona non gratia* to not a few of the "faithful." The real necessity for the selection of Colonel Barnett is not at all apparent to the average Republican of Pennsylvania except that it is a palpable admission that his election to the important office for which he is spoken would secure for the machine another official who would willingly obey its requirements and assist in its political schemes and manipulations without regard for legal restrictions or public opinion. It has been suggested by the press of the State that the Managers of the Republican Official Incubator discard their present supply of official eggs and renew their incubating operations with a new lot. Good, sound advice we deem this, and such as will meet with popular approval beyond doubt. The State Convention is nearly a month distant. There is yet ample time to hearken unto the voice of the people and profit by the counsel of those who are ripe in political wisdom and rich in political experience.

AS TO GENERAL OTIS.

The newspaper correspondents at Manila have complained that General Otis has exercised too strict consorship over the press, concealing news of adverse nature and thus failing to give to this country reports concerning the true state of affairs in the Philippines. It is scarcely likely, however the "Powers that be" will pay any attention to this complaint. They have implicit confidence in General Otis and feel sure that he is prosecuting the war with all earnestness and vigor. Until this time he has been seriously hampered by the lack of sufficient force, but it is hoped that after he has received the reinforcements which it is proposed to send to him within the next few months, he will be able to bring the war in the Philippines to a speedy and successful close.

Meanwhile, General Otis has every right to exercise the strictest censorship. In this connection we might call to mind the fact that General Kitchener, who is the idol of the British people and whose taking of Khartoum has made him so famous, not only censored the press but banished the correspondents from the entire Egyptian campaign.

GETTING NEARER TO THE MILLENNIUM.

One would hardly think that a decision of a court was needed to establish the salutary doctrine that a pious motive does not justify a disturbance of the peace. And yet the decision of the Superior Court of Pennsylvania to this effect, rendered only last Friday, is wholly new and contrary to the established practice of nearly all civilized nations.

The case arose out of the resistance on the part of certain citizens of Pennsylvania to the contention set up by a Salvation Army major that the custom of violently pounding a drum in the public streets was part of his regular religious service, against which no protest of the ungodly should be allowed to prevail.

The decree of the court punctures the tightly drawn skin of the Salvation Army drum and silences its resonance forever. It says:

"Religious liberty does not include the right to introduce and carry out every scheme or purpose which persons see fit to claim as part of their religion."

Furthermore, the court holds that the judgment of the religious association as to the use of a drum as part of its services has nothing to do with the case. The streets belong to the people, and the fact that the defendant's business was lawful did not justify him in annoying the public.

This decision brings the millennium perceptibly closer. But if it is law, why, oh! why have the lovers of peace and quiet submitted so long and unresistingly to the catalogue of noises in which the Salvation Army drum figures only as an intrequent and inconspicuous offender.—N. Y. World.

SHOULD WE WEAR MOURNING?

The family of the late Robert *G.* Ingersoll loved him as devotedly as any husband and father can be loved. Their grief is deeper, doubtless, than that of most families in like affliction. Yet this widow and her daughters, who believe that the parting with the dead is for all eternity, have determined not to blazon their sorrow by wearing the ordinary signs of mourning. Like the man whose going has rent their hearts, they have no respect for custom, unless custom has a support in reason which convinces their minds. Their course will cause discussion of a matter which ought to be discussed, though delicacy shrinks from it.

Why should civilized people signify inward grief by the color of their clothes? The savage wife whose husband dies bedaubs her head and face with dirt and sits on view while she wails through the number of hours that tradition appoints. Our dress of black is, after all, but a survival of this savage custom, precisely as our bow of politeness comes by descent from the prostration of servility before the monarch or noble. The lifted hat, the handshake, are likewise the vestigal reminders of the marks of trust given by the mailed warrior when he removed his helmet and let his sword hand be clasped. Similarly the "dear me" of feminine exclamation is "Dio mio," and the coarse, "bloody" of the forecastle all that is left of the knightly "By our Lady." The useless buttons on the back of our coats remain though the sword belt they helped to hold up, or the skirts that they kept out of the horseman's way, have disappeared. We are the sum of our ancestors in dress and speech as well as in physical fibre and mental constitution. Evolution leaves a broad trail by which its processes can be traced backward.

To antagonize custom needs some courage, but that is the price of progress. "Mourning" is not defensible in the court of taste. We do not tell strangers of our woes, yet the black of the bereft intrudes grief that should be sacred upon the notice of the public, and brings the thought of death to countless minds that have not invited the memento mori.

"Mourning" is not Christian, but pagan. Death to the Christian is not the quenching of the torch of being; it is only a departure from the shadows of this lower world to the sunlight of the higher. Love of life makes death terrible in reality whatsoever be the faith in a better existence beyond. Still, it is not seemly that this, the instinctive feeling of the natural man, should be cultivated, and advertised in his garments by the Christian, who in thought and speech holds to a happier view.

The family of the agnostic rebuke the Christian followers of un-Christian custom by their brave refusal to conform to a ghastly conventionality which has in it for the truly thoughtful no solace.—North American.

Army and Navy officers may find it necessary sooner or later to insist upon an oath, something like, "I solemnly swear not to give the press anything said at this table," being administered to all their fellow-guests at dinners.

The Assistant Secretary is, as usual during the vacation season, now having his inning in Washington. Sometimes the big heads acquired during this season never get back to their normal size.

Senator Chandler can have the consolation of knowing that he isn't the only man who has been charged with trying to keep himself before the public by making attacks on others.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

from our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, July 31, 1899.

Wide awake as newspaper men are generally, they do not always get on to things as soon as they occur. For instance, none of the Washington correspondents knew until a day or two ago, that President McKinley had ordered a cablegram sent to Gen. Otis more than a week ago, telling him that the President was entirely satisfied with what he had accomplished and believed that he had done all that could have been done under the circumstances. The following is a portion of the answer of Gen. Otis: "I appreciate very much the confidence the President has expressed in me and assure the President that I have no other ambition or thought than to carry out his instructions. With the plans, now matured, I believe that we can suppress the rebellion in a reasonably short time, with honor to the U. S. and satisfaction to the President." It is highly creditable to the President that while the yellow journals were demanding the recall of Gen. Otis, because he had failed to please some of the correspondents and to accomplish impossibilities, he should have shown his confidence in him in such a marked manner. That the President and the entire administration had implicit confidence in Gen. Otis, has been known in Washington all the time.

Secretary Root arrived in Washington today and will, tomorrow, formally succeed Gen. Alger as Secretary of War. There are many rumors in circulation as to what his policy is to be, but they are merely guesses, mostly wild. There is no occasion for a Secretary of War to have any policy other than that of the President, under whom he serves and no reason to believe that in that respect, Secretary Root will differ in any radical way from his predecessor.

A great many kind words will accompany Secretary Alger into private life, and being spoken at this time, there is no possible reason to doubt their sincerity. The following remarks made by Representative Joy of Mo., are a fair sample of what is being said by many republicans of prominence: "I am not surprised to see Gen. Alger's election to the Senate predicted. I make the same prophecy instead of being the target for all manner of abuse and the victim of everybody's persecution, Gen. Alger will become the hero, and this will be especially true of his future in his own state. As Senator Elkins has said, he was at the head of the War Department during a most successful war. He equipped and put 250,000 men in the field in an incredible short space of time, and when everything had to be obtained at almost a moment's notice To be sure, the soldiers did not have pie for breakfast, nor were feather beds carried around for them, but on the whole, they faired remarkably well. The time will come when Gen. Alger will be given credit for his great work and the kindliness of heart which accompanied his executive administration."

Representatives Smith, of Ills. thus summed up the amusing wobbling of the democrats on the issues of the Presidential campaign: "The democrats may try to run their compaign on a dozen issues, but the moment they nominate Bryan, they will force the silver issue to the front. They cannot escape it if he is the nominee, as now seems practically settled. Mr. Bryan cannot subordinate silver unless he descends to mere pettyfogging in politics, for he is the embodiment of the idea. If silver is not mentioned in the platform, and Bryan is nominated, the people will not be deceived. They know Bryan's position too well."

"Three hundred million bushels of corn and $50,000,000 on deposit in its banks," said Representative Curtis, "have drowned out the calamity wailers and restored Kansas to its old place among the sure republican states, Thousands who voted for Bryan in '96, will vote for McKinley next year, and it can be classed among the certainties that Kansas will give the republican presidential electors not less than 25,000 majority."

All the democratic talk about political favors to be bestowed by the granting of public franchises in Porto Rico, was rendered useless, not to say silly, by the opinion of Attorney General Griggs, to whom the question was referred some weeks ago, by Secretary Alger, that the right to grant these concessions is vested in Congress alone. This case is another indication of the wisdom of waiting until something has been done to criticise, before opening batteries. The hair trigger critic misses oftener than he hits, and every miss makes him more ridiculous in the eyes of sensible men.

Secretary Long, and every officer on duty at the Navy Department, unite in expressing disbelief of the alleged interview with Admiral Dewey, which makes him say that our next war will be with Germany, and other things which are inconsistent with his general record for level-headedness.

ALEXANDER L. HAWKINS DEAD.

The boys of the "Fighting Tenth" returned to their Pennsylvania home with their heads bowed in sorrow at the death of their beloved commander, who died at sea just two days out from the port of Yokohama. He had distinguished himself at every stage of his military career; he had proved himself a hero of a rare sort, and as brave men admire bravery, his soldiers worshiped him for the hero that he was. His State was proud of him, and were waiting for his return that they might heap civic honors upon the man who, by his services in the field, had reflected the highest honors upon his State and Nation.

Now! the boys who were with him in battle, and whom he led so well, return to "God's country" with their leader in a shroud, as a funeral escort to the grave. It is the labors of such men, who forgetting self serve their country with unselfish devotion, that makes the State strong, setting an example of love of country as a guide for our young men for years to come.

A Unique Duel.

A parallel to that famous duel fought in a darkened chamber, in which one of the combatants fires up the chimney and unwittingly bags his opponent, who had taken refuge in that undesirable retreat, is furnished in a duel which was fought the other day at Bonn, on the Rhine between two footmen. They quarreled in a beer house and cards were exchanged and the usual forms were observed, friends of both parties waiting on the other. The weapons were to be pistols. But a curious and altogether unusual condition was proposed and agreed to. Both combatants were to be blindfolded. The duel took place as arranged, and it is not surprising that three shots were fired without result. After that honors were declared satisfied. The persons who ran the greatest risk in the affair apparently were the seconds, but, like prudent men, they lay flat on the ground, and the bullets whizzed over their prostrate forms.—Household Works.

Stamp Tax on Pawn Tickets.

On the ground that pawn tickets are equivalent to warehouse receipts the commissioner of internal revenue has ruled that they are subject to a war tax of 25 cents each, and Collector McClain will notify local pawnbrokers immediately of the decision. Hundreds of articles are pawned daily in this and other large cities, and the ruling will have the effect of adding to the government's revenues. The stamp tax on tickets is quite distinct from the personal war tax of $20 which every pawnbroker is required to pay, irrespective of the amount of business he transacts and many protests were made to the collector yesterday by downtown brokers.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Cubans who expect to hold office under the new deal appear to be the only ones who are clammering for the withdrawal of American authority.

Those who organized that club composed exclusively of red-headed persons, at Trenton, N. J. are probably merely trying to test the accuracy of the adage about red hair and fiery tempers.

THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT HEUREAUX.

The assassination of President Heureaux, of San Domingo, as remarks the Philadelphia Ledger, bodes no good for the future of the Dominican Republic or for the island. General Heureaux had to meet a great many attempts on his life during his stormy career, and by the mere doctrine of chances it could have been predicted with reasonable certainty that he would sooner or later meet a violent death at the hands of his political or personal enemies. He was a cruel, relentless, arbitrary ruler, but it is probably true that if he had been made of less stern stuff he would hardly have been able to hold the power for so many years, nor would the island have enjoyed the same measure of prosperity and comparative tranquility.

The Dominicans seem to be professional revolutionists. The history of the island is the perplexed and wonderfully confused story of innumerable plots, counterplots, fierce strife, revolutions and merciless suppression of tumults and risings. General Heureaux first became President in 1882, and had held the power ever since. His method of retaining power was extremely simple. Anyone who questioned his absolute will was considered a public enemy. If his spies brought him news of a plot or cabal that was the centre of dissatisfaction, General Heureaux gave himself the benefit of the doubt and scattered the plotters to the four winds, unless they were caught, and then the summary trial which was given them as a formality was likely to result in an execution. His enemies have always said that it was exceedingly dangerous for a Dominican to have any ambition; that like the jealous Turk, he could brook no rivals near the throne, and they declare that all the leading men of the island who in the past few years might have reasonably aspired to the Presidency have been killed, exiled or removed in some way. President Heureaux seems to have been set against the survival of the fittest.

The Government is described in year books and such manuals as a Republic, and the information is given that since the adoption of the Constitution in 1844 the legislative power has been vested in a Congress of twenty-two members, elected by popular vote, and that the President is elected every four years by an electoral college. It should be noted that this Republic exists only on paper. The forms of popular government are preserved, but the spirit has long since fled, or rather never existed. The Constitution has been changed many times, apparently at the whim of the ruler. The President appointed his Ministry or heads of the Departments of Justice, Police, Finance, War and Public Works, and through them he exercised complete power.

General Heureaux was simply a dictator. Under his iron rule the island had been much more tranquil than before he came into power, and in recent years had given such evidences of prosperity that a prospect was held out of settled conditions. The complaint had been made of late that he was corrupt, that he had increased the debt beyond all measure, and that he had become intollerably unjust and despotic. These charges were accompanied with renewed activity by revolutionists and mutterings of popular discontent, and his assassination was probably in furtherance of the schemes of one of his rivals for power. It will be unfortunate if the island shall become a scene of riot and bloodshed near our shores just when we have brought order out of chaos in Cuba.

Congressman Bailey, of Texas got a "scoop" on President *Mc*Kinley by announcing that there was an Anglo-American alliance offensive and defensive, which the President was afraid to make public. The value of the "scoop was somewhat lessened by Mr. Bailey's lack of authority.

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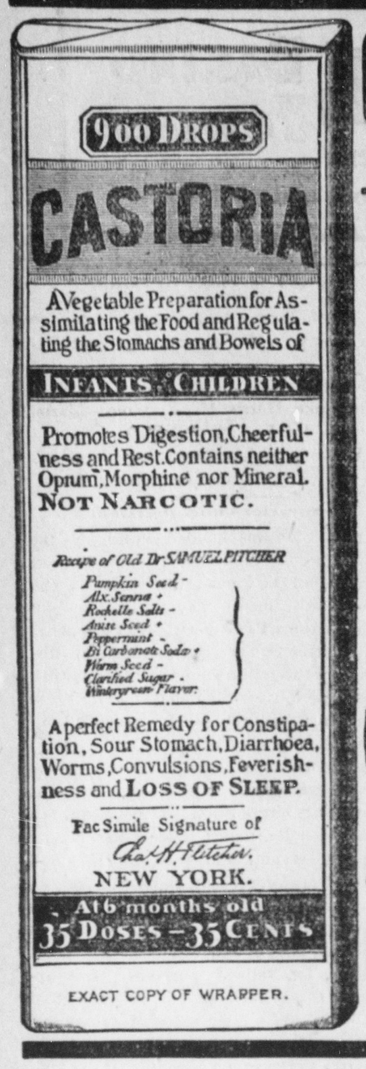
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Barnesboro's New Reservoir.

F. H. Clement & Co., of Bellefonte have been awarded the contract for constructing an impounding dam for the Spangler Water company, with a capacity of four million gallons of water. The dam, or reservoir, will be constructed on the Miller farm, south of Spangler. The contract also provides for the laying of 4,500 feet of eight inch main to connect with the present system, and will amount to about $15,000. The work is to be completed by November 1, 1899.—Philipeburg Journal.

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Senator Proctor, who has been Secretary of War, said the other day: "The Secretary of war is not free to organize the business of his office to the best advantage. Gen. Alger had no responsiblities at all for some of the policies or acts for which he has been criticized."

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Hair For Violin Bows.

The horse hair used in making violin and other similar bows is imported from Germany; a considerable part of the hair thus imported, however, coming originally from Russia. Horse hair for these purposes is white and black; the black is the heavier and stronger and this is used for making bows for bassviols because it bites the big string better. In preparing the hair for use in bow-making, the white hair used for violin bows, is bleached to bring it to its final whiteness, says the New York Sun.

The standard violin bow is 29 inches in length; longer bows are made to order. Shorter bows are used by young persons, but the bow commonly seen in the hands of a violin player is 29 inches long. Horse hair for violin bows is imported in various lengths, but mostly in lengths of 36 inches. Hair sufficient for one bow is put together in what is called a hank; the hanks are tied up in bundles of a dozen hanks; these are bundles in grosses, and the gross bundles are put together in great grosses, in which shape the hair is imported.

There are grades and qualities of the horse hair, but the best is not very costly. A hank of the best white hair can be bought for 20 cents; it might cost 30 cents more to have it put into the bow. To rehair a bass viol bow costs more, the bulk of hair required being greater

NOTED WAGERS.

One man afflicted with the gambling spirit was Sir Mark Sykes. He offered to pay anyone a guinea a day for each day Napoleon lived, provided the taker would pay 100 guineas down. A clergyman accepted the offer and made a fine profit, as Napoleon lived three years.

A nobleman of England made a wager of $7,500,100 years ago that a man could live 12 hours under water. A man who was reckless of life offered to go down and was sunk in an old ship. Neither the man nor the ship was recovered.

Sir John Slade, a very small man, bet $5,000 that he could carry a friend who weighed about five times as much as himself a distance of 200 yards. The day came and a large assembly of men and women gathered to witness the remarkable deed. Sir John told his friend to remove his clothes—that he had agreed to carry the man, not the garments. Of course the friend refused and lost the money.

The newest summer resort round dance is known as the "bear hug." Needless to say it finds no devotees among those who have any respect for the proprieties.

A DEAD PRESIDENT.

Heureaux of San Domingo Shot at By Four People.

THE BODY BROUGHT TO SANTIAGO

Situation is Critical and Enemies of the Government are Endeavoring to Disturb the Peace of the Country.

TROUBLE IS LIKELY TO COME

PORTO PLATA, July 28.—President Heureux, of San Domingo, who was assassinated in Moray Wednesday afternoon, had gone there to see Jacoba Lara. The president, at the entrance to the city, was fired at by four individuals. The body has been brought to Santiago attended by a government escort and members of the late president's family.

The situation is critical. Enemies of the government are trying to disturb the peace. General Wenceslas Figuereo, the vice president, succeeds to the presidency He will continue the plan of retiring paper money.

FORT DE FRANCE, July 28.—The body of President Heureaux has been taken to Santiago de Las Caballeros. The president's widow has requested that the remains be transported by railway to Porto Plata and from there to Santo Domingo by sea, but the governor of Santiago fears disorder if the body should be removed from there by train.

The governor of Santiago confirms the general opinion that the assassination of President Heureaux was a political crime. It is reported that the assassin's party is gathering forces preparatory to an attack on the government troops.

It has been learned that the companions of Caceres, the assassin, when President Heureaux was killed were Juan Pichardo and Horatio Vasquez. The latter is the brother of a deputy in parliament.

Vice President Figuereo, who assumes the Presidential functions, acting with the ministers, has informed the widow of of President Heureaux that the body of her husband will be interred at Santiago de Las Caballeros, and orders for the carrying out of this plan have been given to the governor of Santiago.

It is currently reported that this course was decided upon in order to avoid the excitement and manifestations which would be the result of the removal of the remains to the city of Santi Domingo.

Foreseeing the possibility of disturbances and in order to be prepared for any emergency General Pepin, governor of Santiago, has taken important precautionary measures and has decided to demand that arms and ammunition be forwarded from Santi Domingo.

Advices from Santiago received here at a late hour report that the situation is becoming more serious.

Senator Stewart's Idea.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Senator Stewart, of Nevada, said Wednesday that, in order to obviate the apparent necesity of an amendent to the constitution to insure at all times a full representation of states in the United States senate, at the next session of congress he would offer relief by legislation which, the senator says, may prove satisfactory. He proposed that the following paragraph be added at the end of section 15, title 2, chapter 1, of the revised statutes:

"If on the third Tuesday after the organization of the legislature no person has received such majority, then on that day or on any succeeding day the person receiving a plurality of the votes cast, a majority of all the members elected to both houses being present and voting, shall be declared elected."

This, he believes, will meet the necessities of the case and insure the election of a United States senator in every state at the time specified by law.

Permanent Committee of School Board.

The following is the list of Permanent Committees of the Bellefonte School Board for the year 1899:

Finance—*W.* C. Heinle, John P. Harris and H. C. Quigley.

Repairs—A. C. Mingle, R. S. Brouse, G. *W.* Reese.

Supplies—R. S. Brouse, *W.* C. Heinle, H. C. Quigley.

Grounds—David Haines, A. C. Mingle, H. P. Harris.

Accounts—G. *W.* Reese, H. P. Harris, David Haines.

Text Books and Library—*W.* C. Heinle, H. P. Harris, D. F. Fortney.

High School—A. C. Mingle, R. S. Brouse, D. F. Fortney.

American Waste of Timber.

Some large English timbermen who have been making a tour through the lumber regions of the United States were struck with the enormous waste of timber due to the stave industry, which slaughtered the trees, taking only the best without regard to other uses which might be subserved by a more conservative method of operation.

New York City is to have a brand new labor party, a convention to form one having been called for August 7.

A Potter County Cave

A correspondent of the Coudersport Enterprise tells the following story of a peculiar cave which has recently been discovered in Potter county:

"On the farm of John R. Dodd, just west of Sweden Valley, is located one of the most marvelous caves or excavations to be found in the state. Formerly the place was an opening in the rocks that formed sort of cave in which ice was found at all times of the year. Recently some parties have enlarged the opening, and at the part next to the hillside have sunk a shaft about 12 or 14 feet deep. On approaching this opening on a hot day a current of cold air is felt, which becomes very cold on nearing the mouth of the shaft. No water is at the bottom of the shaft, but the water dripping down the sides of the shaft, freezes as it runs down. On the day that your correspondent visited it (July 7) the ice was several inches thick down the sides of the shaft, and the water was then freezing as it dripped down the sides. It was not a foot from the top of the shaft to the place where the ice began to form, and we were informed that on July 4, quite a quantity of ice was removed from the shaft to be used in making ice cream, by persons living in that vicinity. It is a natural curiosity worth going a long ways to see. What causes the intense cold of the cave and where the cold air comes from, are questions requiring some one wiser than your correspondent to answer."

Between the ages of fifteen and forty-five, the time when womanhood begins and motherhood ends, it is estimated that the aggregate term of woman's suffering is ten years. Ten years out of thirty! One third of the best part of a woman's life sacrificed! Think of the enormous loss of time! But time is not all that is lost. Those years of suffering steal the bloom from the cheeks, the brightness from the eyes, the fairness from the form. They write their record in many a crease and wrinkle. What a boon then to woman, is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It promotes perfect regularity, dries up debilitating drains, heals ulceration, cures female weakness, and establishes the delicate womanly organs in vigorous and permanent health. No other medicine can do for woman what is done by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

A Bad Smash—Up.

Herbert Sheffer, his brother-in-law De Mont Frazier, and Orrie Atwood had an experience Tuesday July 25 while on their way back from a fishing trip that they will not soon forget. They were driving up the Main street of Howard behind Herb Sheffers fast horse at a pretty rapid rate when suddenly they ran into an obstruction which sent them all head first into the street. Sheffer went out one side the buggy Frazier the other and Atwood went straight into the air alighting on the horse. The street Commissioner of Howard was building a crossing over Main street and instead of having a lantern to worn travelers, they had ropes stretched across the street. It being dark it was impossible to see the ropes and the horse ran against the obstruction with the above result. Fortunately none of the parties were seriously hurt, although they were badly bruised up. The buggy was badly smashed up and the horse was cut and bruised severely. It is said that a suit for damages against the boro of Howard is contemplated.

L. A. MEET, BOSTON.

Reduced Rates via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the Annual Meet of the League of American Wheelmen at Boston, August 14 to 19, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets, from all points on its line, to Boston at rate, of *single fare for the round trip*. Tickets will be sold on August 12 to 14, good to return August 14 to 20 when properly executed before agent of initial line from Boston. Upon depositing ticket with city ticket agent of initial line from Boston, and not later than August 19, and the payment of fifty cents, tickets may be extended to leave Boston not later than August 31.

Bicycles carried free when not accompanied by other baggage. Special arrangements for clubs traveling as a body.

Paper Mill Deal.

The Morrison & Cass paper mill at Tyrone, has been consolidated with the mills of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper company, of Delaware. The new organization, recently in-corporated, has a capital of $3,000,000, and will operate a pulp mill and three pulp and paper mills.

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—At Patton a few days ago, the 2-year-old son of Fred McIntye fell into a tub of hot water and was so badly scalded that he died a few hours later.

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Stone Discharges a Farmer's Daughter.

HARRISBURG, July 29.—Governor Stone seems to have forgotten all his ante-election promises to the farmer in his fond desire to serve ex-Senator Quay. He has even sacrificed to the greed of the machine the only farmer's daughter holding a place on Capitol Hill. She is Miss May V. Rhone, of Centre Hall, daughter of ex-Grand Worthy Master Rhone, of the Pennsylvania State Grange. Miss Rhone is a clerk in the office of Economic Zoologist Fernald, and she was appointed by Governor Hastings at the request of the Grangers.

Secretary of Agriculture Hamilton, by direction of the Governor, has notified Miss Rhone that she is not wanted after today. Her place is to be taken by P. S. Chapin, of Milton, a protege of ex-Congressman Kulp, the machine leader of Northumberland county. Although Kulp has served two terms in Congress, he is best known for his connection with the bribery scandal in the last Legislature. It was he who is alleged to have offered a bribe to Representative Brown, of Union County, to absent himself from the first session of the joint convention to ballot for United States Senator.

Governor Stone served in Congress with Kulp, and the Executive has appointed Chapin on his recommendation. The position pays $1500 a year, and it one of the many sinecures in the Department of Agriculture. Two other Centre county officeholders will be dropped today, and another, Dr. Fernald, has only twenty more days to stay. They are Edward B. Rankin, a brother of Mrs. Hastings, and Henry H. Hewitt, who supported the anti-machine candidates for State delegates at the recent primaries. Rankin is a clerk in the Insurance Department, and Hewitt holds forth in the Adjutant General's office.

The Governor has decided to retain Secretary Hamilton and Wilson I. Fleming, a clerk in the State Department. He is satisfied they did the best they could to defeat ex-Governor Hastings in the recent Centre County fight. Dr. Fernald's place will be taken by Benjamin F. MacCarthney, son-in-law of Senator "Jim" Mitchell, of Jefferson County. Oliver R Mercer, of Greensburg, claims to have received the Governor's promise last January to appoint him Economic Zoologist. When Mercer learned that MacCarthney was to have the place he tried to have himself appointed a clerk, and for a time it looked as if this would be done.

Neither MacCarthney nor Chapin know anything about economic zoology, but that makes very little difference with the appointing power. They know how to hustle for the machine, and that counts for more than anything else with the Administration. MacCarthney was executive clerk of the Senate in the last session, and he spent only enough time in Harrisburg to take the oath and arrange with some one else to do his work. Dr. Fernald is a capable official, and he has rendered good service to the State during the last eighteen months.

Where Trouble is Feared.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—Secretary Long Friday afternoon sent telegrapic orders to the cruiser New Orleans at Newport directing that she proceed at once to San Domingo. At the same time an order was sent to the gunboat Machias, at St. Thomas to leave for San Domingo. The Machias will be in San Domingo waters within a day or two.

This action was not due to any official advices indicating possible trouble but entirely to the desire to be forehanded in dealing with any possible disturbance that may grow out of the assassination of the president.

Big Sale of Ore Rights.

Huntingdon, July 29.—W. W. Kurtz of Philadelphia, has purchased the interest of the Tyrone Mining and Manufacturing Company in the ore rights of the Dry Hollow property, containing over 3000 acres of land, situated in Huntingdon and Centre Counties, and he becomes the sole owner of the ore rights in this property.

The ores are known as the brown hematite, and have been used largely at the Saxton Furnace, at Saxton, on the Huntingdon & Broad Top Railroad. This is a valuable property, and it is believed that Mr. Kurtz may soon operate and develope it in a way that ought to be profitable to him.

The Ledger Monthly for August.

The *Ledger Monthly* for August has on its cover a picture in colors of a rollicking urchin in a blue bathing suit, up to his waist in gentle surf, with a grin of enjoyment on his face which radiates the fun of the situation. It is entitled "Ecstasy," suggesting the cool sea and the freedom of a loose bathing suit for the sultry days of August. This number of the *Ledger Monthly* has a delightful atmosphere of summer recreation. "The Gateways and Summer Palaces of Newport," the city by the sea, are beautifully illustrated on three full pages, accompanied by a descriptive article on another page. "Fashionable Lingerie" is a timely article on delicate articles for women's summer wear. Altogether the *Ledger Monthly* for August is an admirable summer number, and the price, 5 cents places it within the reach of everybody. The *Ledger Monthly* is only 50 cents a year to those who can not buy it monthly of the newsdealers. Robert Bonner's Sons, Publishers, Ledger Building, New York City.

DIED AT CANTON, OHIO.

Robert Thomas Tonner Passes Away. Cousin of Mrs. H. P. Harris, of This Place.

Below we give the particulars of the death of Robert Thomas Tonner, of Canton, Ohio, a cousin of Mrs. Henry P. Harris, of this place. Mr. Tonner often visited here and is well known to many of our readers. The following account of his death is taken from the *Evening Repository*, of Canton, Ohio, dated July 24th:

Robert Thomas Tonner, a life long and highly respected resident of this city, and until recently a member of the board of elections, died at 4:40 o'clock Monday morning of tuberculosis, aged 36 years. The end came at the residence of his mother, No. 608 South Cleveland avenue.

About eighteen months ago Mr. Tonner left this climate for what was considered a more favorable part of the country, locating with his wife and child, a daughter of four years, in Albuquerque, New Mexico. While there he occupied a position in the Indian schools under the Interior department. He discharged the duties of this position faithfully until two weeks ago last Thursday, when, upon the advice of his physician, he started for home.

Mr. Tonner was closely affiliated with the Methodist Episcopal church, being for a number of years the secretary of the board of trustees and secretary of the Sunday school, besides entering heartily into the general work of the church organization.

Mr. Tonner was born in this city December 17, 1862. He spent his early life here, obtaining his education in the city schools, and graduated with the class of '79. He immediately entered the office of C. Aultman & Co., where he remained a trusted employe for a number of years. From this office he became one of the organizers and the secretary and manager of the Artificial Ice company, afterwards becoming interested in the Canton Electrical company, and with C. A. Dougherty in real estate. He was one of the organizers and a lieutenant in Co. B, of the old Independent Battalion of Infantry, remaining with the organization until it disbanded.

He was married October 7, 1891, to Miss Pascaline Smith, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hurxthall W. Smith, reside in Clearfield, Pa. The union was blessed with the birth of a daughter, Josephine, a bright girl of four years. Besides these survivors there are Mr. Tonner's mother, Mrs. Margaret P. Tonner; his sisters, the Misses Ella C. and Mary L. Tonner; and his cousins, Mrs. Charles A. Dougherty, and Mrs. Arthur Underhill, of this city, Mrs. James McLain, of Massillon, and A. Clark Tonner, assistant commissioner of Indian affairs, Interior department, Washington, D. C., now making a tour of inspection in California.

The funeral services will be held at the old home Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, Rev. C. E. Manchester, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, assisted by Rev J. C. Hathaway, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, to officiate. The remains will be interred in Westlawn cemetery.

A Mid-Summer Dance.

The first of a series of three mid-summer dances arranged by a committee of young men, was held in the armory Friday evening and proved a most enjoyable affair. The music was furnished by Chappel's orchestra of Williamsport. The armory was very prettily decorated for the occasion and choice refreshments were served during the evening.

The patronesses were Mrs. John Ardell, Mrs. Mary F. Blanchard, Mrs. George L. Potter, Mrs. Isaac Mitchell, Mrs. A. O. Furst, Mrs. George F. Harris and Mrs. Atwood.

Among the guests from a distance were Miss Ruby Hale, of Lancaster; Miss May Hale, of Newark, Ohio; Miss Stone, of Pittsburg; Miss Stewart, of Pittsburg; Miss Blanche Good, of Lock Haven; Miss Orbison, of Philadelphia; Miss Gertrude Hiltner, of Tyrone; Miss Freit, of Altoona; Misses Anna and Bertha Shaffner, of Philadelphia; Ralph Good, of Lock Haven; George Lippincot, of Philadelphia; Gregg Curtin, of Pittsburg; Thomas Morris, of Tyrone; Malcolm Stevenson, of Tyrone; J. Norris Bogle, of Howard, Lowry Montgomery, of Philadelphia.

Ex-Secretary Whitney is credited with the intention of trying to persuade Admiral Dewey to enter politics, but there is little probability of his succeeding. Admiral Dewey knows that his present high place in the esteem of our people, regardless of politics, would be lessened, rather than increased, by his participation in party politics.

Mascagni, the Italian composer, has written a hymn in honor of Admiral Dewey, and it is said by experts to be one of his best, which is not surprising, considering the subject.

The lynching of five Italians, at Tallulah, La., call to mind the fact, that a similar lynching at New Orleans, a few years ago, cost Uncle Sam a round sum in cash, paid to the Government of Italy for the benefit of the families of the victims.

Executions in France.

A prisoner about to be executed in France does not known the day. He is informed just 15 minutes before the ax falls.

The Bellefonte Republican

To CORRESPONDENTS.—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

WILBUR F. HARRIS.

Local Department.

—The Logan Fire company will hold their annual picnic at Hunters Park, Aug. 23rd.

—The contract for slating the roof of the brick school house has been let to *W. H. Miller* of this place.

—There will be a festival in the Methodist church yard at Lemont next Saturday evening, August 5th. All are cordially invited to attend.

—The dates for holding the teachers institutes for 1899 have been arranged by the Department of Public Instruction, Centre County's institute will be held at Bellefonte, Dec. 18.

—Rev. J. M. Runkle, pastor of the Salona-Hublersburg Reformed charge, has returned from Philadelphia to his home. His throat is improved but is not well enough to permit the reverend gentleman to preach.

—Sunday a family dinner party was given in honor of the venerable Daniel Garman at his home on High street. There were twenty-eight members of the Garman family present and the occasion proved a most enjoyable one.

—Edward Graham Parsons and Miss Myrtle Miller, both of this place, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage on East Linn street Wednesday evening, July 26th. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. A. Stephens.

—Walter, the 8 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Niman, of Reynolds Avenue died Wednesday at 6 o'clock a.m. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house. Interment will be made in the Union cemetery.

—A few days ago while three men were unloading a car load of coke at the Bellefonte furnace, one of their number found a pocketbook in the bottom of the car which contained $15 00. There was no name to show who the pocketbook belonged to, so the three men divided the spoils. Who says there is not money in coke.

—The state campaign of the Democrtic party will be opened in Williamsport on August 9, and the event will be made notable by the presence on that day of nearly all the leading Democrats of the state. The occasion will be the formal notification of the state candidates nominated at Harrisburg last month.

—Wednesday of last week the cable which holds the big arc light suspended across the street at the Centre County Bank broke and the heavy lamp fell to the street with a crash smashing into hundreds of pieces. A very serious accident might have occurred as quite a number of vehicles were passing at the time. As it was the heavy lamp came within an ace of striking expressman Harvey Stine's horse.

—A city exchange reports that butter milk is now being served as a drink at saloon bars, restaurants and hotel dining rooms, and the demand for it is rapidly increasing. It is a cooling, refreshing and wholesome drink and its popularity has increased the price in three or four years from nothing to ten or fifteen cents a gallon, wholesale. Buttermakers might do well to cultivate this trade.

—The Presbyterian congregation at Pleasant View school house are raising money to build themselves a chapel. The lot was donated to them by Thomas A. Shoemaker, while all the lime and stone necessary is to be given them free of charge by A. G. Morris. Two little girls are going around the town with a subscription paper and it is said quite a neat sum of money has been raised by them.

—Here is an item of special benefit to the calamity howler: Orders have been issued for the resumption on Monday of all idle coke ovens in the country, and all heretofore on five days a week will be put on full time. This will be the first time in the history of the coke industry that all ovens will be on full, and means the resumption of thousands of ovens that have been idle for years. Many more men will be given employment.

—Friday was one of the heaviest freight days known on the Pennsylvania for a long time and every freight trainman was on the jump. No less than 5,800 cars passed Lewistown, the central point of the Middle division, going both ways. This is one of the highest figures recorded and indicates the enormous amount of business. At this rate there will be from 10,000 to 15,000 more cars handled by the Pennsylvania freight men on this division this month than there were last July.

—Somebody very aptly rises to remark what a howl would go up if the newspapers were to criticise the individual as freely as many people criticise the newspapers. Every issue of a live and reputable newspaper is a mantle of charity, and the matter left out—truth, not gossip of dames—would often more than equal in volume the matter published. If any editor could get out a cold fact edition some day and get up a tall tree and watch the result—whew! what a picnic there would be.

AN AGED CITIZEN GONE.

Death of Jacob Shrom Who Has Resided in Bellefonte for Fifty Years.

Jacob Shrom, one of Bellefonte's oldest citizens, died Thursday evening at ten minutes of eleven o'clock in his rooms in the McClain block. Mr. Shrom has been ailing for some time and his death was due to a general breaking down of the system.

Deceased was born near Mechanicsburg, Sept. 25th 1825, and was therefore 73 years, 10 months and two days old at time of death. For the past fifty years he has been a resident of Bellefonte following the business of a saddler. He was quiet and unobstrusive and enjoyed the respect of a large circle of friends. He was a member of the Methodist church.

His wife preceded him to the grave about five years ago but the following children survive: David, of Butler, Pa.; Mrs. Sarah Watson, Osceola, Pa.; Mrs. Elizabeth Ingram, of near State College; Mrs. Samuel Skean, of Pottstown; Edward, of Pittsburg; Mrs. Diadem Gilbert, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Clara, of Bellefonte, Mrs. Martin Haines, of Philipsburg; Mrs. William Cowdrick, of Niagara Falls; John, of the steamship St. Paul.

The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 3:30 from the residence of *C. C.* Shuey, on High street, and was very largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Blackburn, of Wilmore, Pa., assisted by Rev. Allen Rhen, of Bellefonte.

Many beautiful floral offerings were received, the casket being literally covered with these tokens from the many friends.

The honorary pall-bearers were W. S. Tripple, W. W. Montgomery, F. Potts Green and Col. George A. Bayard.

The casket-bearers were R. A. Beck, W. T. Twitmire, Wm. Reasner, John Keichline jr., Michael Lamb and Aleck Campbell.

As no provision was made for the burial of the deceased by his family the interment was made in Mr. C. C. Shuey's private burial lot in the Union cemetery.

He is survived by one brother H. N. Shrom, of Greenville, Mercer county, whose great kindness to his brother in his last illness and death was most thoughtful. All the expenses of his sickness and funeral was paid by this brother who was prevented from attending the funeral by good and sufficient reasons.

Mr. Shuey wishes through the columns of this paper to thank all those in the vicinity for their many acts of kindness during Mr. Shrom's last illness and at the funeral.

Camping Near Eagleville.

A jolly party of seven young men started Wednesday morning for a point this side of Eagleville where they will enjoy a ten days outing. Their camp will be known as Bingo camp. The following named compose the party: Samuel Roberts, Will Smith, Will Brown, Frank Derstine, George Berns, Burt Bayard and the mascot, little Arthur Roberts.

—St. John's Episcopal Sunday school, of this place, picnicked at Hecla Park Wednesday.

—The United Brethren congregation held their annual picnic at Hecla Park Tuesday.

—The members of the Catholic church will hold their annual Picnic at Hunter's Park, August 16th.

—Croup instantly relieved. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Perfectly safe. Never fails. At any drug store.

—Now is the time to hand in your subscription to the REPUBLICAN. Only 25 cents for the campaign.

—Over 400 people attended the picnic of the Milesburg Methodist church at Hecla park Friday. Bicycle races, tub races, base ball and day light fireworks helped to make the day an enjoyable one.

—Burdock Blood Bitters gives a man a clear head, an active brain, a strong, vigorous body—makes him fit for the battle of life.

—Twenty-seven converts of the gospel workers were immersed in a creek near Shamokin dam Sunday. Upwards of 3,000 people attended the campmeeting, which has been in progress for several days.

—Eczema, scald head, hives, itchiness of the skin of any sort instantly relieved, permanently cured. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store.

—While John Bailey and two sons were working in the Forest mine, near Winburn Saturday, a fall of rock held them prisoners for over two hours. They were finally dug out by fellow workmen. Neither of the men were injured.

—The ladies of the United Evangelical church of Howard will hold a festival on Saturday evening, August 12th, 1899, on the school house lawn at Howard. Ice cream, cake, fruit etc. will be served. The Nittany band will furnish music for the occasion.

—James I. McClure is the proud possessor of a new driving horse which he purchased Monday from Bruce Garman. It is a dandy and Mr. McClure certainly made a fine appearance Monday evening while out driving behind his flyer with his new harness and buggy.

—Dr. John F. Harter, of State College, the newly appointed deputy revenue collector for this district, was in Lock Haven Saturday where he held a consultation with his predecessor J. F. Brosius. Mr. Brosius turned the office and its effects over to Mr. Harter Tuesday, August 1st. Mr. Brosius the retiring deputy revenue collector has made a very efficient and capable officer. S. M. McCormick, stamp agent, administered the oath.

Firemen at Tyrone.

The seventh annual convention and tournament of the Central Pennsylvania District Association of Volunteer Firemen will be held in Tyrone on Thursday and Friday, August 10 and 11. Many companies have already signified their intention of being present on the occasion. Among the number are Bellefonte, DuBois, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Houtzdale and other places. Friday will be tournament day, when the contests will take place and the large list of cash prizes awarded. Fifty and $25, first and second prize, to the steamers throwing the farthest stream horizontally; $30 and $15, in the hose race, 250 yards, attaching and laying 150 feet of hose; $25 and $10, in the hook and ladder race, a run of 200 yards, put up twenty-foot ladder and have man ascend to top; a $50 prize in the grand free-for-all hose race; $15 hub race, 200 yards; $15 to the best drilled company; $15 to the best uniformed company; the largest company, $10; the best band, $10. Aside from this there are several special prizes for individual members' contest. Home companies will not enter any of the contests. There will also be a big street parade of all the companies. Many bands will be present.

Foot Ball At State.

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., July 31.—The schedule for the Pennsylvania State College foot ball team for the season of '99 is as follows. September 23, Mansfield Normal at State College; September 30, Gettysburg at State College; October 7, U. S. Military Academy at West Point; October 13, Washington and Jefferson at State College; 18, Princeton at Princeton, October 21, U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis; October 28, Dickinson at State College; November 4, Bucknell at Williamsport; November 11, Yale at New Haven; November 17, University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia; November 25, Duquesne Country and Athletic Club at Pittsburg; November 30 (Thanksgiving,) Layfayette at Easton.

The prospects are for as good, if not a better team than that of last season.

Attacked by a Bull.

A few days ago William Vonada, who is employed on the farm of Allison McKibben in Potter township, Clinton County, was leading a cross bull to water. The animal was in an ugly mood and attacked Vonada and threw him into the stream. The man succeeded in getting away from the bull, and shortly after made an attempt to refasten the animal. The bull wouldn't have that way and again attacked the keeper. He threw Vonada down, and in all probability would have inflicted serious injury, had not a large dog come to the rescue. The bull is now firmly tied and will meet his doom when the butcher comes round.

Leonard Weaver Heard From.

Bellefonte people are always interested in the work of Rev, Leonard Weaver and his Gospel Tabernacle, The following item is from the London *Christian* the leading religious journal in England.

The Great American Tent was opened by Mr. Leonard Weaver at the Tramway Terminus, Tooting, on Sunday, June 11. The meetings were most encouraging; several professed decision for Christ. These meetings are being continued nightly. Mr. Charles Inglis, Mr. F. C. Vernon Harcourt, and others are assisting. There is much expectancy amongst the Christian workers of the neighborhood that there will be a great blessing.

Strangers In Our Pulpits.

Sunday quite a number of the pulpits of our churches were occupied by strange ministers. All the churches were well attended and the services proved most interesting.

The Presbyterian pulpit was occupied morning and evening by Rev. Charles Wood, of Philadelphia, who delivered two most excellent sermons. His evening service was sort of evangelistic in its nature. His subject was "Athletics and Religion." It was very ably handled and could not fail to make a deep impression on those who listened. Mrs. Burnett sang a very beautiful solo at the evening service.

Sunday was communion day in the Methodist church and Rev. D. S. Monroe, occupied the pulpit in the morning. His sermon was a powerful exhortation in defense of the Christian religion.

Rev. Edgar Eugene Brooks, of Tyrone, exchanged pulpits with Rev. George I. Brown rector, of St. John's Episcopal church, of this place, and preached two eloquent sermons, morning and evening.

The pulpit of the United Brethren church was occupied by Rev. W. H. Blackburn, a former pastor at this place but now stationed at Wilmore, Pa. Rev. Blackburn has improved wonderfully since he first entered the ministry and now ranks as one of the most eminent divines in that church.

The Evangelical pulpit was occupied in the morning by Dr. A. E. Gobble, president of New Berlin College, an able and eloquent talker. In the evening the Presiding Elder Rev. S. P. Remer, gave an interesting discourse.

There was no services in the Lutheran church in the morning but in the evening Rev. George Leisher, of Boalsburg, occupied the pulpit.

—The Methodist Sunday school of Coleville will hold a festival next Saturday evening on the Public school grounds at that place.

PERSONAL PENCILING.

W. E. Gray and family are sojourning at Atlantic City.

J. C. Henderson, of Julian, transacted business in Bellefonte Friday.

Abram Valentine and wife, of Atlantic City, are visiting Mrs. R. V. Pugh.

George W. Loner, of Stormstown, was a pleasant caller at this office Friday.

Miss Mary Cardon, of Clearfield, is visiting Miss Roberta Noll, of this place.

Mr. Mortimer Donahue, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days in Bellefonte.

W. J. Carlin, Esq., of Rebersburg, transacted business in Bellefonte Thursday.

Dr, Wm. Laurie and daughter, Miss Jesse, left Thursday morning for Atlantic City.

Mrs. R. G. H. Hayes returned home Monday evening from a visit to Atlantic City.

Mr. Irvin Speer, of Washington, Pa., is visiting his father, W. T. Speer, of this place.

Mrs. E. P. Moore and daughter, Katie, of Tyrone, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Al. S. Garman and Robert Garman, both of Tyrone, spent Sunday in Bellefonte.

Thomas Mitchell, of Bellefonte, spent Friday with his friend John P. Lyon, of Tyrone.

Charles H. Wright, of Washington, D. C., is visiting his parental home at Milesburg.

Miss Gertrude Hiltner, of Tyrone, is the guest of her friend Miss Grace Armor, of this place.

Mrs. Jacob Culp, of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting her brother, J. B. Antes on Bishop street.

Nelson Calwell, of Mt. Carmel, Pa., is a guest at the home of J. B. Antes on Bishop street.

Robert Hunter, Frank Montgomery and Col. E. J. Pruner left Thursday afternoon for Cape May, N. J.

Thomas Hamilton, of New York City, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Hamilton, of East Howard street.

Miss Gertrude Snowden, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her friend, Miss Mary Hamilton of East Howard street.

Gen. D. H. Hastings and Col. Wilbur F. Reeder were registered at the Stratford Hotel, Philadelphia, Monday.

T. A. Shoemaker, a prominent Bellefonte citizen, was a guest at the Logan house Monday says the Altoona *Times*.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Garman and children, of Philadelphia, are visiting his father, Mr. Daniel Garman, of this place.

Gregg Curtin is at home enjoying his vacation. He is employed by the Westinghouse Electrical Company at Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. Ferd Baum left Sunday afternoon for Princeton, Ind., where he will take charge of a large clothing store owned by his brother.

Mrs. Mary Peters and her two daughters, Anna and Tessie, of Philadelphia, are guests at the home of Cheney Hicklen on East Logan street.

D. H. Waring, one of the Commissioners of Clearfield County, and W. C. Miller Esq., of Clearfield, transacted business in town Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Lowry and her two children, left Wednesday of last week, for Ford City, Armstrong County, to visit her mother.

Misses Belle and Carrie Weaver left Friday for Buffalo, N. Y., and from there will proceed to Chicago by the way of the Great Lakes. They will be gone several weeks.

Mr. George Johnson, of Beaver Falls, Pa., is visiting his old home in this place. He arrived Saturday to join his wife and family who have been here for several weeks.

Mr. George Lippincott, of Philadelphia, returned home Sunday afternoon after spending a few days very pleasantly in Bellefonte as the guest of his friend Edmund Blanchard.

Thos. H. Harter and wife, Charles R. Kurtz and George R. Meek returned last week from the Editorial Excursion to the Pacific coast. They all report having had a most enjoyable trip.

Mrs. James Reed, of Washington, D. C., arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday evening and will spend a few weeks here as a guest at the pleasant home of Isaac Thomas on North Thomas street.

James A. Feidler, of Williamsport, former postmaster of Bellefonte and ex-editor of the Keystone *Gazette*, was an arrival in Bellefonte Monday afternoon. He expects to remain here several days writing up the industries of the town for the Philadelphia *Journal of Commerce* which he represents.

Capt. James E. McNary, of Pittsburg, has been appointed a member of the Reception Committee which goes to San Francisco to meet the 10th Regiment on their return from Manila. Capt. McNary who is a traveling salesman for the Standard Scale and Supply Company has many friends and acquaintances in this place.

Edward B. Rankin who formerly occupied a clerkship in the Insurance office at Harrisburg has been secured by Manager J. E. Lawrence, of the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company as district agent at Harrisburg. Mr. Rankin is a hustling energetic young fellow and the company which he represents is one of the strongest and best in the country.

Col. George Nox McCain, staff correspondent of the *Philadelphia Press*, who has been spending the past few days in Bellefonte, reporting the political situation, left last week for San Francisco where he will meet the 10th Regiment on their return from the Philippines. Interesting articles from his pen will appear in the *Philadelphia Press* in regard to this event.

Mrs. Anna C. Woodcock, departed Thursday for a two week's visit at Asbury Park, N. J., where her son Dr. Lee B. Woodcock is now visiting. Dr. Woodcock expects to sail August 8th, for Vienna for a years study and practice in the hospitals there. Mary Harris Weaver of this place accompanied Mrs. Woodcock and at Philadelphia they will be joined by Martha Schroeder, of that city.

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Dr. Andrew Lieb, of Bethlehem, is transacting business in Bellefonte at present.

Judge Cyrus Gordon, of Clearfield, was a business visitor in this vicinity Wednesday.

Mrs. Harvey Musser and three children, of Akron, Ohio, are visiting her aunt, Mrs. Evelyn Rodgers, of this place.

John M. Dale, Esq., and family, departed Thureday for Atlantic City where they will spend the next few weeks.

Miss Kate Sheffler, of this place, left Tuesday afternoon for Clearfield where she will visit her sister for several weeks.

De Mont Frazier, of Wellsburg, West Virginia, is visiting his brother-in-law Mr. Herbert Sheffler, on North Allegheny street.

Prof. Roy Mattern, who occupies the chair of Mathematics at the Adelphia College, Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting his parents at Milesburg.

Mrs. Morgan F. Medlar, of Allentown, a sister of Col. James P. Coburn, of this place, is being entertained at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Rodgers on North Allegheny street.

Mrs. Sallie K. Smeltzer and two children, Carrie and Lawrence, of Chicago, Ill., were guests last week of Mrs. Albert Smeltzer and Mrs. Lettie Jodon of Pleasant Gap.

Miss Bessie Sperring, one of Lock Haven's fair maidens, arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday afternoon and is a guest of her friend, Miss Lizzie Allen on North Spring street.

Hon. James Milliken, of New York, formerly of Bellefonte, is a guest at the Bush house. Mr. Milliken being a man of great wealth, has been an extensive traveler, having visited every place of interest on the globe. His lectures on Palestine and the Holy Land, are intensely interesting and instructive.

The Chester De Vonde Company.

The Chester De Vonde, dramatic company which expects to start on the road from here will arrive in Bellefonte next Monday, August 7th and will rehearse in Garman's opera house for two weeks. The manager of the company has been persuaded by Mr. Garman to give four performances during their stay here. The dates for these performances are August 10th, 12th, 17th, and 19th.

Mr. Chester De Vonde has never appeared in Bellefonte before. He is a handsome young actor of great histroical ability, and was a former member of Augustin Daly's Leister Square (London) Theatre Co., headed by Ada Rehan. The fact also of him being the leading man for Potter and Bellew in their famous tour through India and England places him the peer of any leading man now appearing in repertoire. He is supported by an excellent company.

The opening attraction will be an English melo-drama "Ten Ton Door." There has never been a production like this attemtped before at popular prices (10-20-30 cents). Mr. De Vonde will appear as "Trooper Dan." The first act takes place in Avon-on-the-Trent, a very pretty stage picture. The second act is a scene in the British Military barracks. The soldiers are preparing to leave for the Soudan. It is in the 3rd act, that one of the most startling pieces of stage craft ever attempted is shown. A massive English fortification is seen with revolving cannon in the turret.

The fort is surrounded by a large stone wall. The entrance to the yard is protected by a steel door supposed to weigh ten tons. It is during this act that Trooper Dan is condemned to death and shackled to the door, when suddenly the garrison is surprised by an attack on the fort by the natives. The massive stone walls are crumpled to dust and the door blown from its hinges. The fourth act shows the celebrated desert of Sahara with the sphinx and the pyramids. A realistic duel takes place in this act. The 5th act is the celebrated pink palace at Walden, Manor. Here is shown a magnificent interior, supported by massive pillars. This setting is said to be one of the most magnificent pieces of scenic art that ever graced a stage.

During the performance high class specialties will be given. The stage is under the personal direction of Chester De Vonde, the company being under the direction of Mr. C. L. Walters.

—Wednesday about 9 o'clock Archie Allison's delivery horse became frightened at the barking of a dog and ran away while being driven in from the Bellefonte furnace. The driver Joe Shaughensy jumped off the wagon when he saw the horse was beyond his control. When near the residence of Isaac Mitchell the wagon collided with a telephone pole and was badly wrecked. The horse continued its journey to town but was finally stopped without further damage being done.

—Rev. L. K. Evans, D. D. of Pottstown, Pa., will preach in the Reformed church at this place next Sunday, morning and evening.

—No such thing as "summer complaint" where Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is kept handy. Nature's remedy for every looseness of the bowels.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte P. O., uncalled for Aug 1st, 1899.

Bedsworth Sam'l, Hamer Wm., Gilbert Mrs. Luke, Harris M. J., Green Lizzie, McNeal Dr. F. J., Woodring H.

When called for please say advertised.

W. W. MONTGOMERY P. M.

Superior Court Decision.

A decision was handed down by the superior court at Philadelphia Friday, in the case of the Pennsylvania canal company vs. the Lewisburg, Milton and Watsontown Passenger Railway company. The decree refusing the injunction, dismissing the bill in equity at the plantiff's costs, permitting the defendant to cross the canal property of the plantiff, and directing the manner of use of the bridge and maintenance there of by the defendant is reversed. It is now ordered that the Lewisburg, Milton and Watsontown Passenger Railway company, its officers, agents, servants and successors be and hereby are perpetually enjoined from occupying or using the property of the Pennsylvania canal company, described in the bill, answer and decree of the court below, for railway purposes. The appellee to pay the costs. It is said that this decision will be appealed from and the trolley company will carry the matter to the supreme court. If the ruling is sustained by the court, the plans for extending the road from Watsontown to Montoursville, probably will be abandoned. It was the intention to have a continuous line from Williamsport to Lewisburg, and there also was some talk of tapping the Sunbury and Northumberland road at the latter place, but if the connecting link at Watsontown is broken, it is likely that everything will be dropped.

Township Boards of Health.

The department of public instruction has mailed to the school boards of the states copies of a notice published by Dr. Lee, of the state board of health. The letter is in respect to the recent act of the legislature making the school boards, boards of health in their various localities.

Dr. Lee advises the board to take advantage of the act and thus aid in increasing the healthfulness of the state. The board will furnish copies of rules and laws necessary for the formal presentations to the courts when application is made to widen the scope of the board. The prevalence of diptheria and smallpox in some portions of the state caused Dr. Lee to make his appeal.

Very Close to the Wheels.

At Williamsport Saturday 18 year old Ralph Hess was riding his wheel on Hepburn street. After waiting until an engine passed west, he rode upon the tracks and was knocked down by a shift of cars going east. When he stopped rolling his head was within three inches of the wheels of the car, which clipped off his coat tail and cut his bicycle in two. His accident saved half a dozen or more pedestrians from being run down by the same shift.

In Cupid's Net.

The following parties were made happy during the past week by receiving marriage licenses from Register G. W. Rumberger:

Edwin G. Parsons and Myrtle Miller, both of Bellefonte.

Parmer D. Hetzel, of Aaronsburg, and Lizzie Auman, of Greenbriar, Pa.

Ory W. Marks, of Hannah, Centre County, Pa., and Alice Knepp, of Bigler, Clearfield County, Pa.

Edward Emel, of Bellefonte, Pa., and Millie Fahr, of Julian, Pa.

Edward T. Parker, of Loganton, Pa., and Maud L. Miller, of Coalport, Pa.

William Blackhart and Sarah G. Wall, both of Philipsburg.

Peter Smocer and Amy Liba, both of Troy Mines, Pa.

—Jacob Gerring, formerly a resident of Bellefonte, was drowned at Cleveland, N. Y., Sunday. The full particulars of the sad affair are not known as yet. Mr. Alois Kohlbecker, of Milesburg, a brother-in-law of Mr. Gerring, was notified Monday morning by telegram of the latter's death. The unfortunate man was formerly an employee of the Bellefonte Glass Co. at this place and is well known here. He leaves a wife and one adopted daughter to mourn his loss.

—There are two ways of talking over a telephone. When the bell rings, some people jerk down the receiver, place it to one ear, turn their back or side to the telephone and yell "Hello!" to the opposite wall or out of the window or down to the floor. If you want the party at the other end of the line to hear your remarks, talk into the telephone, in a commonsense way and in an ordinary tone of voice. The fellow who yells at the top of his voice, to the annoyance of his neighbors is—well, it isn't necessary. Unless the telephone is out of order, your everyday voice can be heard just as distinctly three squares or three miles as it can three feet away.

SAYINGS OF THE WAR.

Battle as a Stimulant to Epigram.

Every war of which any historic record survives has given birth to at least one "bon mot." Could we read the scratches upon the walls of the habitations of the cliff-dwellers we would doubtless find that our tailed ancestors fighting with their bits of bone and stone made the beginning of language not, as is generally supposed, to express some everyday want, but to voice in battle some high sentiment whereby their children should remember them. War as an intellectual stimulant, in every sense, has always been what Kansas would call "productive of the best results," but what war has contributed so many "Die-but-never-surrenders" and "Don't-give-up-the-ships" as that between America and Spain? Somebody has collected a few of the more prominent ones and printed them in the Rochester "Post Express." Here they are:—

"Excuse me, sir; I have to report that the ship has been blown up and is sinking."—Bill Anthony of the Maine.

"Suspend judgment. "—Captain Sigsbee's first message to Washington.

"We will make Spanish the court language of hades."—Fighting Bob Evans, when war was declared.

"Remember the Maine."—Commodore Schley's signal to the flying squadron.

"Don't hamper me with instructions; I am not afraid of the entire Spanish fleet with my ship."—Captain Clark, of the Oregan, to the Board of Strategy.

"You can fire when you are ready Gridley.'—Commodore Dewey at Manila.

"To hell with breakfast; let's finish 'em now.,'—A Yankee gunner to Commodore Dewey.

"The battle of Manila killed me, but I would do it again."—Captain Gridley, of the Olympia, on his deathbed.

"I've got them now, and they will never get home."—Commodore Schley, on guard at Santiago harbor.

"There must be no more recalls; iron will break at last."—Lieutenant Hobson to Admiral Sampson.

"Don't mind me, boys; go on fighting."—Captain Allyn K. Capron, of the Rough Riders.

"Don't swear, boys; shoot!"—Colonel Wood to the Rough Riders.

"Take that for the Maine." —Captain Sigsbee, as he fired a shot through the Spanish torpedo boat Terror.

"Shafter is fighting not writing." —Adjutant General Corbin to Secretary Alger, when the latter asked for news from the front.

"War is not a picnic."—Sergeant Hamilton Fish, of the Rough Riders, to his mother.

"Who would not gamble for a new star in the flag?"—Captain Buckley O'Neill, of the Rough Riders.

"Afraid I'll strain my guns at long range; I'll close in."—Lieutenant Wainwright, of the Gloucester, in the fight with Cevera's squadron.

"Don't cheer, boys; the poor devils are dying."—Captain Philip, of the Texas.

"I want to make public acknowledgment that I believe in God the Father Almighty."—Captain Philip, of the Texas.

"The Maine is avenged."—Lieutenant Wainwright, after the destruction of Cervera's fleet.

The Poor Teeth of the Young.

A rapid tendency to decay, hitherto unknown in extent, is taking place in teeth of the children and youth of the present generation. That the disease is assuming alarming proportions is painfully evident. A few years ago a school committee was appointed by the British Dental association to acquire more knowledge of the condition of children's teeth at various ages. Of the children of a large number of parochial, industrial and other schools, over 10,000 mouths were examined, and the condition of each tooth was marked on a chart. Less than 15 per cent. of such boys and girls of an average age of 12 years did not require some treatment for decayed teeth. The very large majority therefore, of over 85 per cent. demanded skilled attention.—Nineteenth Century Review.

Here's a chance for the Tammany tiger. The owner of a Spanish bull offers to back him for any amount against any animal.

—The last of the hot months.

WILLING TO HELP

Securing freedom from the grip of catarrh makes loyal friends for the liberator.

Pe-ru-na has been making friends of this kind for many years. It cures catarrh wherever located.

Mrs. R. Eades, of 35 Twenty-eighth St., Detroit, Mich., is one of the many thousand of Pe-ru-na's friends. This is what she says to Dr. Hartman:

"We have used your Pe-ru-na with the most remarkable results and would not be without it. We have always recommended it to our friends. A few years ago I purchased a bottle of your Pe-ru-na and after seeing its results, recommended it to my grocer who was troubled with dyspepsia, the curing of which induced her to sell it in her store. She has sold large amounts of it. My daughter has just been cured of jaundice with Pe-ru-na. My pen would grow weary were I to begin to tell you of the numerous cures Pe-ru-na has effected in our immediate vicinity within the last couple of years."

Dr. Hartman, President of the Surgical Hotel, Columbus, Ohio, will counsel and prescribe for fifty thousand women this year free of charge. Every suffering woman should write for special question blank for women, and have Dr. Hartman's book, "Health and Beauty." All druggists sell Pe-ru-na.

Reed's Views of Expansion.

LONDON, July 31.—Thomas B. Reed, ex-Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, greatly enjoyed his run on the Continent. Upon his return here he said in an interview:

"I spent three weeks in Brussels, and was there during the recent acute crisis. Belgium has yet other crises to meet, but her tremendous resourses will enable her to come out on top. In Berlin I met many leading statesmen. One learns much from such men, and obtains a point of view totally different from that of America.

"I found everywhere on the Continent evidence of a continued and growing good will in the best circles and among those whose opinion every American values. I spent a month in Paris, and watched the French and the working of the French Constitution with wonderment. The infinite wit of the French, with the casual view they take of things which we Anglo-Saxons hang to with serious tenacity, make them a most fascinating study.

"Naturally I cannot betray opinions of home politics. The United States and the Administration are now tackling a field of foreign politics never presented to or dealt with by any former Administration Time will straighten out this tremendous problem presented to us. All I can say is that we will solve it well and honorably."

SHALL WE DISPUTE.

The Opinions of Scores of Our Fellow Citizens!

Residents of Bellefonte like other American citizens, if making an investment want to be sure of getting the worth of their money. They want to know all the whys and wherefores, and in a direct ratio to the value of the investment they burrow and ferret until satisfied with the collateral. Take an instance in the realm of proprietary articles. If we know of a friend who has been cured, we have some faith in the preparation; if we know of two or three our faith increases. If the cures reach scores, all well known citizens, and anyone who still maintains that there is nothing beyond ordinary merit in the said preparation can safely be left to the care of his fellow taxpayers. If he wishes to pick a quarrel with them on the question of their judgement and veracity, he has ample opportunity in Bellefonte to do so. Begin with this case:

Mrs. J. Cowher, of Bishop street, says:—"I was very bad with my back and head. I suffered pain in both and was very restless nights besides being so tired all the time that I could hardly drag myself about. I was very lame across my kidneys and bending over or being on my feet much was extremely painful. Reading about Doan's Kidney Pills and seeing them so highly recommended for those troubles I procured them from F. Potts Green's drug store. They gave me positive relief, caused me to sleep well, stopped the pains, removed the lameness and invigorated me generally."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

Was an Old Indian Fort.

LOCK HAVEN, Pa., July 31.—A large dark granite stone marking the site of the old Indian fort known as Fort Reid, was unveiled this evening with appropriate ceremonies. The marker was presented by the Hugh White chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Members of council, of the Hugh White chapter and of various other patriotic organizations paraded. An address was delivered by Supreme Court Reporter W. C. Krebs and the monument was unveiled by Mayor W. F. Elliott.

CORRESPONDENCE

MILLHEIM NEWS.

Lot Walizer, has accepted a position at the Garman house, Bellefonte.

Huckleberries were plentiful last week many of our people were out and came home laden with the delicious berries.

Farmers finished putting in their wheat and barley last week. The wheat crop was better than had been expected.

The late rains have ripened the oats much faster than expected and farmers are busy cutting it this week.

Oliver Gramley, who left Miles township thirty-two years ago for Illinois, is now in this locality visiting friends and relatives. He is accompanied by his wife and two children. They will visit different parts of Pennsylvania and New York and return to their home in Cedarville, Ill., late in the fall, Mr Gramley had his driving horse shipped to him and will therefore travel in private conveyance during their sojourn in the east.

Prof. W. H. Klepper and wife, of Lock Haven, were guests last week at the pleasant residence of William Kreamer.

Street Commissioner Perry Confer, and a corp of men were engaged last week in laying terra cotta pipes to make the drainage system of the town more complete.

A. Walter is improving his already handsome residence on Main street by giving it a coat of paint.

Amusements of the hour: Picking huckleberries and killing rattlers.

Mrs. John Rockey, who for many years resided in Penn township, on the farm now occupied by William Vonada, died in Illinois, to which place she removed some years ago, and her remains were brought to this place on Tuesday of last week, for burial. Mrs. Rockey is the mother of Mrs. David Neese, of Penn township, David Gentzel, of George's valley, and Perry, Henry and Benjamin, of Zion. She had been sick since spring, her daughter leaving here for her bedside in March and remaining until her death, which was due to stomach troubles. She was aged about 78 years. Her remains were buried at Heckman cemetery Wednesday morning, July 26th. Rev Brown, of Spring Mills officiating.

BLANCHARD ITEMS.

Party workers are now drawing a long breath for the November election.

The oats harvest is here, hay-making is a thing of the past.

Miss Tillie Beaty, of this place, is entertaining her cousin, Miss Lillian Beaty, a very pleasant young lady from Lock Haven.

James Egan, who is employed in bark-peeling at Emporium, is visiting his parents in this place.

Quite a number of our young men are out camping this week for the benefit of their health. Among the party are Clarence Kunes, John Moon, Roy Burley and a number of their friends from a distance.

A large number of young people from this place attended the Illustrated Lecture given on Monday evening by the Rev. H. B. Barshinger in the Evangelical church at Howard.

Miss Marie Allison, one of Howard's most charming young ladies, spent last week visiting friends in town.

HOWARD ITEMS.

Dr. L. R. Hensyl lost a valuable horse by death last week, lung fever being the cause.

A very heavy rain and wind storm passed over this place last Thursday afternoon. The thermometer fell about twenty degrees during the storm.

Some of the wild game that has long been extinct is again being found in this section. One day last week while Mr. J. N. Hall was making hay he discovered a quail's nest containing 18 eggs. He says they are the first he has seen on his farm for about 40 years. It is supposed they came from Hecla Park.

The trustees of the M. E. church of this place have decided to put some necessary repairs on their church. They will tear down the tower that is now on the church and build a new one from the ground up, put in new windows and make such other repairs as are needed. The work will begin as soon as subscriptions can be raised, and to help it along they will hold a large festival on Saturday, August 5 and invite you to come and bring all your friends.

On Tuesday evening of last week the directors of the Borough schools met for the purpose of electing teachers for the ensuing term. The teachers elected are as follows: High school, Thomas DeLong, of Romola; Grammar, Theophilus Pletcher, of Howard township, Intermediate, E. E. Holter, of Howard Boro; Primary, Sadie Bechdel, of Romola.

The Harvest Home service in the Christian Chapel last Saturday evening was well attended.

Mr. D. L. Welch one of our leading citizens is confined to his home by illness.

A large crowd attended the Illustrated lecture Monday evening in the United Evangelical church at this place.

Last week the handsome spotted pony owned by D. L. Allison became frightened at some passing object, in making an endeavor to get the best of the driver, it slipped and fell, alighting on Max Allison, bruising his ankle so severely as to cause him to use crutches.

Lawn tennis is the new game at this place.

The Sunday papers now arrive in town at 10 o'clock a. m. on the Sunday train from Tyrone.

Champion Shot of the World.

Miss Annie Oakley writes: "Myself and many of the Buffalo Bill Wild West Co., have given Allen's Foot-Ease, the powder to shake into the shoes, a most thorough trial, and it does all if not more than you claim." It instantly takes the sting out of Corns and Bunions. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for swollen, hot, aching, nervous or sweating feet. Sold by all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y.

Old Age Pensions.

Of the social questions now uppermost in Europe the one attracting most attention is that of old age pensions. It is a most difficult problem, but one of the widest interest to its advocates and proposed beneficiaries, who comprise the whole human family. If a plan can be devised by which through present economies and frugalities a permanent fund for the support of the aged can be created, one of the most painful and difficult problems of life will have been solved. In Germany discussion has been succeeded by actual provision for old people but the scheme is as yet avowedly crude.

In England there has been prolonged investigation and discussion, with a prospect of early definite action. It is not improbable that within a few years people of both sexes in the United Kingdom after a certain age will be provided with a regular weekly payment of about $1.25, and the estimate of the cost is about $50,000,000 per year. This proposition is a perfectly feasible one, and it is likely to be in operation almost before the objections of all the critics are made and heard. Of these objections there are few that should receive attention, and none are unanswerable

The great good to be accomplished, the amelioration of the needy, the comforting of the afflicted, the abolition of the pangs of poverty at a period of life when the sufferer is powerless to overcome them, and a prospect of contentment and ease in the declining years of life, forms an object the accomplishment of which appeals to every human being with a grain of good feeling and humanity Provision in old age at once relieves life of its worst consequence and peril, and matters of detail, as complicated as they are, are light in comparison with the end to be attained.

The chief matter to be accomplished is certain and competent provision, which will as of right inhere in the individual. It must be a general provision and not a charity or a pension or a reward, but the birthright of every citizen who does his duty and performs his allotted part in life. There must be no individual award, no opportunity for discrimination no suggestion of gift or charity, but a grant made to all by the act of all. Anything less than this would be a doubtful improvement on the charities and benefactions which have relieved age and poverty in the past.

Why does a Mosquito Bite

Just why the mosquito bites people is not yet known. It is not to furnish it food, for it is an established fact that a mosquito, after gorging himself with human blood, dies within a few hours, whereas mosquitoes that have never tasted blood have been known to live very comfortably even through the winter and into the next season. The adult mosquito does not need food During its larva stage it has stored up enough nourishment to last it all its life, and it is a normal state for it to go without for the rest of its existence All that it needs is moist air, adult mosquitoes being known to pass the winter in damp cellars, living on nothing but the moisture. The fact that it is estimated that only one out of 10,000 ever tastes human blood also proves that it is not necessary. Why it persists in torturing mankind, therefore, has not yet been found out, and scientists can only swear softly with the rest of mankind, and make the general statement that the mosquito is born with a vitiated appetite for human gore—an appetite that causes the death of the indulger.

The Girl That Helps Mother.

The girl who gives way to a desire to gad about the streets and cultivate the acquaintance of young men who act the simpering simpleton, is laying the foundation for a useless life. Ten to one after she is married she will develope into a slatternly gossip, if no greater misfortune befalls her. It is the girl of good sound sense, the girl that loves home and helps mother that wins the model husband and becomes an ornament to womanhood. The girl that does this and devotes some of her time to reading, tries to win the esteem of everybody, while gadding street ornament wins the admiration of those whose admiration is not worth anything.

—Freight business is good on all railroads.

AN INDUSTRIAL BOOM.

2000 Men Employed in Centre County Now Where 500 Had Work a Year Ago.

Centre County has now the biggest industrial boom it has experienced for many years and the promises are that it will be substantial. Four months ago an estimate of the number of laboring men and skilled mechanics employed in the various industries then in operation hereabouts would not have aggregated over 500 men, while now the total will foot up nearly 2,500. These are divided among the Bellefonte Furnace Company, which has just started up, with 500 employes; the Empire Furnace Company, started six weeks ago, with 200 men; A. G. Morris, at his various lime operations, who four months ago employed but about 150 men, now gives work to more than 300; McCalmont & Co., lime operators, have increased their force from 60 men to more than 100; the standard Scale and Supply Company has increased from 90 to 110; the old Curtin furnace, which is just on the eve of resumption, will give employment to from 100 to 150 men, while at the various smaller industries in and around Bellefonte, including the increased force on the railroads here, made necessary to handle the vastly increased volume of business, the aggregate number of men employed now will foot up from 250 to 300. The wages paid for ordinary daily labor are $1.10 and $1.25, and from that up to $2.75 for skilled labor. From this it will be seen that the aggregate monthly pay roll for labor here now is more than $20,000 greater than it was on the first of April.

The greatest boom is naturally in the manufacture of iron. Four months ago the only furnace in Centre County in operation was the McCoy & Linn plant north of here, but it manufactured just enough metal to run its chain factory. The Empire plant is now turning out 125 tons of pig metal every twenty-four hours, and though the Bellefonte furnace plant was blown in but one week ago, it is already turning out 125 tons daily, and this will be increased gradually until the output is 140 tons. The Curtin furnace will run about 40 tons daily of charcoal iron, so that in the near future Centre County furnaces will be putting on the market from 200 to 225 tons of pig metal every twenty-four hours, with orders far in advance of the output.

The lime and limestone industry is second only to iron in its increase. During the past few months both A. G. Morris and McCalmont & Co., have largely increased their plants. The former now has in operation around here seventeen kilns, four crushers and three mills, and the latter six kilns, a mill and crusher.

Among the other industries that are in operation night and day to fill their orders are the Standard Scale Works, Jenkins & Lingle, planing mills, etc. The Houser Springless Lock Company started the manufacture of locks last week.

But possibly one of the best industries is the projected pottery plant, in which former Governor Hastings is directly interested. Plans for this plant are now so far under way as to make it a sure thing. The company, which comes from Trenton, N. J., is capitalized at $250,000. The pottery, which will be for the manufacture of fine porcelain ware from kaolin, will be located in Bellefonte, options having been secured for the site. The kaolin is found in the Buffalo Run valley, only a short haul from the town. This plant will employ from 300 to 400 men at the pottery and clay mines.

In addition to the above the coal mines in Centre County are now running fuller time than they have for a year or more, the men are receiving 5 cents per ton more for mining, operators have no trouble booking orders, and indications are that the mines will be busy for an indefinite time.

Embraced Women.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 31.—"Jim the Hugger," is the latest freak in Atlantic City. For some time women and girls have complained of a man who has approached them on the boardwalk down at the lower end of the Island, and after giving them a hearty hug, has taken himself off. It is alleged that James McKinney, of Philadelphia yesterday afternoon approached a woman and a young girl on the boardwalk at the foot of Mississippi Avenue.

He grabbed the girl's hair, it is said, and attempted to embrace her, and when her companion turned on him, he transferred his demonstrations to her and gave her a hearty hug. She made a plunge at him with her umbrella, when a friend happened along and sailed into McKinney in an enthusiastic manner.

A policeman arriving, McKinney was then placed under arrest and taken to the City Hall where the ladies, who would not give their names, owing to their objection to publicity, charged him with assault and battery. To-day "Jim, the Hugger" will be given a hearing by the Recorder.

—New subscribers are being added to the BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN list every day. Our special rate of 25 cents for the campaign is proving a winner and hundreds are availing themselves of this opportunity to become subscribers to the best and cheapest local paper and the staunchest Republican paper in the county.

—A re-union of the Decker family will take place at the Frederick Decker homestead at State College on the 9th of August. All the members of this family are invited to be present.

A Much Married Man.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Martin Dotz, said to have married six women, all but two of whom are said to be now living, was arrested here to-day. The police allege that Dotz in Wheeling, W. Va., under the name of Henry Doesing, married a woman who later died under suspicious circumstances. His watch and clothing were found on the banks of the Ohio river, but the impression of suicide thus given was dispelled by his arrest here a year ago for disposing of mortgaged goods. Before reaching Chicago Dotz married in Milwaukee, Maximiliana Sperl, a Chicago woman, and Elizabeth Schmidt and Carolina Schneider, both of Milwaukee. Upon obtaining their money, the allegation runs, he left them. In this city he took a wife, a woman worth $12,000. She died suddenly, willing her property to Dotz, then known as Fred Hoh. His next wife was a south side woman possessed of $10,000. His arrest at this point cut short his matrimonial experiences.

Automobile's Long Run.

Rochester, N. Y., July 31.—A gasoline automible, driven by Elwood Haynes and Edgar Apperson, which is en route from Kokomo, Ind., to Brooklyn, arrived in this city at 8 o'clock Saturday night and left at 10.30 Sunday morning for Syracuse.

The automobile to this point has covered a little over 600 miles.

—The county commissioner of Clinton county paid to the Bald Eagle, Nittany and Brush Valley Turnpike Company Tuesday $5,000, the balance due them on the terms of sale of said pike.

—The Bellefonte school board have leased the old Logan hose house from M. I. Gardner for a school building. The increase in our population is causing our schools to be overcrowded, hence the necessity of securing more room.

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Containing about 500 acres being 1-2 of 428 adjoining lands of Col. E. A. Irwin, James Mitchell and others Bids will be received until October 25 1899; if not then sold will be offered at Public Sale in Philadelphia October 30 1899

S. Kingston McCay, 426 Walnut St. Philadelphia. July 20 13t

COURT PROCLAMATION—Whereas the Honorable J. G. Love, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th Judicial District, consisting of the county of Centre, having issued his precept, bearing date of the 26th day of July, 1899, to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Bellefonte, for the County of Centre and to commence on the 4th Monday of August, being the 28th day of August, 1899, and to continue one week. Notice is hereby given to the coroner, justices of the peace, aldermen and constables of said County of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock on the forenoon of the 28th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 26th day of July in the year of our Lord 1899, and the one hundred and twenty-third year of the Independence of the United States. W. M. CRONISTER, Sheriff.

BELLEFONTE MARKETS.

Corrected weekly by Gerberich & Son. The following quotations are taken at 6 p m on Wednesday of each week.

PER BUSHEL		PER TON	
Wheat new	70c	Ground Plaster	$5
Red Wheat	70c	PER BUSHEL.	
Rye	45c	Buckwheat	35c
Corn, shelled	35c	Clover seed	
Corn, ears new	45c	Crimson Clover	
Oats, old	25c	seed	$2
Oats, new	25c		

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.

PER POUND		PER BUSHEL	
Lard	07c	Potatoes, new	50c
Country Shoulders	06c	Onions	
Country sides	06c	PER DOZEN	
Tallow	03c	Eggs	12c
Butter	15c		

A Matter of Temperament

Major Owen passed almost with a look of relief down the steps from the crowded reception-rooms into the garden. He was not a musician and, although all that was best and most unpronounceable on the London concert stage was at present performing in her ladyship's drawing-room, the only comment he could find to make to Philip Rutherford was that there was too much of "this beastly fiddling."

Then he had left Philip Rutherford, and annexed Miss Phoebe Horton (much the prettiest of the three Miss Hortons), and now pasaed into the garden, looking as one who passed out of the valley of the shadow. Chinese lanterns twinkled everywhere. The garden was no wilderness. London gardens are not big enough for that—and at the moment parts of it were densely populated, but the Major and his companion passed through the groups near the house into the comparative solitude beyond. There, as it was necessary to say something to Phoebe, he said that he didn't care for a violin. He was a man of few ideas; when he had got one he never made the mistake of expressing it in the same way to a woman as to a man. In a general condemnation of the violin Phoebe supported him enthusiastically, and the walk in the garden would not have taken more than three, minutes fifteen seconds by a respectable chronometer. And that was all there was against the *Major* absolutely nothing else. He returned Miss Phoebe Horton to Philip Rutherford in excellent condition, and sought out Christine. He found her, and he judged by her appearances that there was a storm gathering. Unquestionably the best thing to do with a gathering storm is to take it into supper. By the time it has finished its supper it has probably forgotten the cause of its storminess, and a holy calm follows.

So the Major, who, though he had few ideas, was not an unpractical man, suggested that he should take Christine in to supper.

"No, thank you," said Christine. "I don't want any supper."

"Well," the Major said vaguely. "one must do something."

"I don't want to do anything." said Christine.

"Well," the *Major* said again, "It's very hot in here, and this music doesn't much appeal to me, you know. Will you come out into the garden?"

Christine got up, sighed, and said that she only came because she was tired of saying "no" to everything.

They passed out together. The garden was almost empty now; nearly everybody was in the supper-room.

"You like this garden, don't you?' said Christine.

"Well, yes," he said; "these lanterns and things aren't bad. If you get right up to the far end you can't hear the music—at least, not enough to matter."

"Did you go up to the far end just now?" said Christine.

"What do you mean?"

"Nothing."

"Oh, come! One doesn't say those things for nothing."

"Very well, then. For the last half hour you've been hiding in the garden."

"Oh, come! You mustn't say such things."

The passion deepened in her voice.

"You've been hiding in the garden with Phoebe Horton." She tried to laugh. "I thought you'd had time to explore it."

"As a matter of fact," said the Major, "I don't suppose I was out here five minutes. If I'd been out here for five fortnights, what would it have mattered to you?"

"Nothing," she said, drearily. "Nothing matters to me now."

Then he observed that things were growing more serious. He took her two hands.

"Tell me," he said, "what is it?"

She began to cry.

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An hour and a half later Major Owen got out of a hansom in Jermynst. He paid the man his legal fare, added another shilling because the man didn't grumble at it, and went up to his chambers. On an ordinary occasion, being a middle-aged gentleman of some discretion, he would have gone straight to bed; this was not an ordinary occasion. He changed his dress-coat for a smoking jacket, mixed himself a brandy and soda, lit a cheroot, and sat down in an easy chair. But his mind was too disturbed for inaction. He got up again, and paced the room, circling like a planet round the little table on which the tall glass sparkled like a star under the electric light. At last he stood still.

"I have done for myself," he said.

Freedom was at an end. His comfortable chambers, that early in the evening he had regarded as his premanent abiding-place, now seemed the unsubstantial fabric of a vision; the breath of Hymen, and they were gone.

Then came second thoughts. Had he really done for himself? Christine was charming; she had distinctive ways of her own, but she was none the less charming. She would, he considered, do him credit. The money did not happen to matter much in his case, but he remembered vaguely that there was money. What seemed much more important was that she looked very pretty when she cried. A few hours before he had never dreamed of marrying, certainly not marrying a girl like Christine. As it was, he had proposed to her for reasons that he was totally unable to analyze, and he must go on with it.

Half and hour's further reflection having still shown him that he must go on with it, he finished his drink, switched off the light and went to bed, and the next morning, having dressed himself with great care, and grumbled profusely at his very excellent valet, he called on Miss Blake, in Bryanston Square. Now Miss Blake was the sister of Christine's father, Colonel Blake, and Christine's guardian.

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The engagement was to be short. The drudgery of it began at once. He had to go to many places where he had never been before, and did not want to go again. He waited, a perfectly ghastly figure, in the shops of fashionable milliners, feeling that every lady customer who entered regarded him as an insult and an outrage. He had to sit through concerts, they were very good concerts, and a very good concert was, from the Major's point of view, the very worst sort of a concert. An ordinary tune, as he sometimes observed, he could more or less understand. He was made to dance frequently, and in the small hours of the morning, when respectable, middle aged gentlemen should be in their beds. It was all very trying, but gradually it dawned upon him that there were one or two compensations. Christine certainly behave very nicely to him. He bought her a ring (diamond and sapphires), and her reception of it gave him great pleasure. He repeated this pleasure by buying her other things. After a fortnight he owned to himself that things might have been worse.

But he didn't fall in love with Christine definitely until she fell ill. Then the *Major* went temporarily mad. He became a source of wonder and pained surprise to his friends, and a scourge and chastisement to his valet. He lived chiefly in telegraph offices, hansom cabs and in the shops of the florist and fruiterer. By a constant succession of telegrams he kept himself informed of Christine's progress during those brief periods when he was not driving to see her, or purchasing for her scented flowers, which she could not bear to have in her room, or out-of-season fruit, which she was not allowed to eat. By the time she had recovered her health her conquest was complete, and, with the magnanimity of a conqueror, she decided to do something to please him. So she told him that she meant to have her portrait painted. It would be hung on the line of the Academy—Delmay was always hung on the line—and afterward she was going to give the portrait to him. He said that he was charmed, and he really was.

"But," he said, "the sittings will bore you terribly, and you are really not strong enough for them. Why don't you have your photograph taken instead?"

Christine pointed out that it wasn't the same thing at all.

"No," he answered; "I suppose not."

In matters of art his education had been somewhat neglected.

"But," he went on, "I have really seen some photographs which I liked better than the things which had been colored by hand."

She laughed at him, and instructed him.

"But why do you go to Delmay's?" he said. "If I were going to have my portrait done I'd have it done at bedrock prices. Delmay charges no end of a lot, just because he got some of those writing chaps to scribble about him in the papers."

"But he paints so beautifully," said Christine; "there is no one at all like him,"

"That is just it," said the *Major*; "if you were not very pretty it might be just as well to go to a clever chap who could put it on a bit for you, but as it is, why any one of them who understood the rudiments of his trade couldn't go wrong

However, Christine had her way.

The Major's conception of artists, derived chiefly from stage-plays, was that they wore velveteen coats and long hair, and led improper lives Delmay, it is hardly necessary to add, had never worn a velveteen coat in his life, was as well dressed as the immaculate Major himself and differed from him chiefly in the fact that he possessed far fewer scruples and much more intelligence.

Miss Blake was a patient woman, but she got weary of continual attendance at Delmay's studio. After repeated sittings he still seemed to be progressing very slowly; she didn't like to tell him to hurry, especially as he was always perfectly charming to her, but she asked him to dinner with a vague idea that a sense of the social obligation might lead him to shorten those sittings as far as possible. The Major suggested that he should see the portrait but Christine thought it would be better for him to wait until it was finished. It was nearly finished when Delmay found that his conscience would not allow him to go on with it any further, and that he would have to begin it all over again. Once or twice, as Miss Blake sat in the studio, turning over the illustrated papers, her head nodded and he eyes closed. She told Christine that it was very boring. Christine said she was very sorry, but seemed in the best of spirits.

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Once more it was late at night and the Major paced his chambers. They no longer had the air of a dream that might pass at any moment. In fact, he knew that, except when he was away for the shooting, or spending an occasional week in Paris, he would inhabit them for the rest of his natural life.

Christine's letter lay on the table. He took it up and re-read portions of it.

"It was your impetuosity that drove me into it. I was frightened, and hardly knew what to say, and gave way. I had my fears even at the time, but I thought that I would give it a fair trial, and see if I could bring myself to love you. I am so sorry if I have given you any pain, but I know now (something which has happened recently has shown me) that I could never really love you like that."

He read this through twice. Then he recalled that scene in the garden where the proposal had been made, and he remembered from whom practically the proposal had come. And then, though he was sore at heart, he grinned sardonically.

It says much for the generosity of his nature that although he was not present in response to Miss Blake's invitation to the reception on the occasion of her niece's marriage with Maurice Delmay—it says much, I say, that, though he was not present—he sent silver candlesticks—four of them.

The Delmays still use them.

A DUTY.

"Good-by, Charles! I shall expect you precisely at five!"

Mr. Westbrook waved his glove backward toward his wife as he ran down the steps and walked briskly to the street corner, their to await a downtown car.

Mrs. Westbrook stood on the steps for a minute or two, looking bright and trim in her plain gingham morning dress, with its fluted ruffles, and the bow of blue ribbon at her throat, while her white apron looked as fresh as if it had just come from the laundry.

Just opposite, an elegant little coupe waited at the door of a brownstone mansion—and presently a superbly dressed lady came out, dressed in furs, satins and velvets—Mrs. Draine, by name—and entered it.

"She is going to the morning concert at Tambusini's," thought Mrs. Westbrook, as she watched the equipage drive away.

"Ah, what a slavery is fashionable life!"

Mr. Westbrook, however, thought differently, as the lady in question whirled past him, with a gracious inclination of her head, and a smile that faded almost instantly away.

"I wish Katie's tastes ran a little more in that channel," said he to himself. "Kate is really getting to be a mere domestic machine."

While he stood there waiting for the dilatory car, two little children ran down the street—a boy and a girl, Willie and Effie Draine. Mr. Westbrook knew them by sight.

They were magnificently attired in frills, flounces and rich embroidery, but they looked blue and cold, nevertheless.

"Children," said Mr. Westbrook, "where are you going? Where is your nurse?"

"Bridget has gone down in the kitchen to talk with her beau," said Effie, in a shrill, defiant tone.

"Does your mother allow you to go out so, without anything on your heads?" asked Mr. Westbrook.

"Mother don't care," Willie made answer. "Mother says 'Go away and don't bother me.' "

"Well, never mind that," said Mr. Westbrook, not altogether satisfied with the testimony he was eliciting. "*Go* back home at once!"

"I won't you ugly old man!" retorted Effie.

"Mind your own business," added Willie. "We'll go where we please."

Just then the car came along, and Mr. Westbrook, already delayed, sprang on the back platform and dismissed all thought of the young rebels from his mind.

"Katie," said he, that night, when he had returned from business. "why is it that you do not go out a little more, like your neighbor, *Mrs.* Draine?"

Mrs. Westbrook laughed. She was undressed her youngest child, a chubby little creature, with blue eyes and hair curling in tiny rings close to its year-old head.

"Because," said she, "I can't do two things at once."

"How do you mean two things at once? I don't understand."

"Perhaps I had better have said half a dozen," said Mrs. Westbrook. "Mrs. Draine leaves her children to the care of servants. I could not do that. Mrs. Draine sends them away from her when they come with wistful looks and piteous, tear-stained faces; she says she has not time to do a nurse's work. Oh, Charles, do do you suppose my child could ever appeal to me in vain.

"There is some truth and common sense in her view of the matter," said Mr. Westbrook, thoughtfully stroking his beard. "A mother should not allow herself to be narrowed down into a channel of mere household drudgery. She needs contact with the outside world, to freshen up her ideas—to—"

"And who is to take care of her children in the meantime?" interrupted Mrs. Westbrook, rather more sharply than her usual wont. "My dear Charlie, theory is very good, but practice is better. When God made me a mother He meant that I should assume all of a mother's duties—and if any others conflicted with them to ask my own heart which should be first and holiest."

Mr. Westbrook was silent. He had a reserve of arguments in his mind, but somehow the sight of Katie, sitting there among her little ones, like a dove surrounded by her young, disarmed his mental sword.

"Well, well," said he, "have it your own way. Only Mrs. Draine, no more cultivated or intellectual than yourself, has risen to the rank of a leader of society, and belongs to all the literary associations, all the elegant social gathering in town."

"Yes," said Katie, "I admit all that. But Mr. Draine is a merchant, with an independent income. You are a cashier on a limited salary. If I kept house as Mrs. Draine does, everything would be at sixes and sevens."

"What a very common expression Katie!"

"But it means so much Charles."

Mrs. Westbrook was in her nursery a few minutes later, when the one little maid whom she kept came hurrying upstairs, wiping her hands on her checked gingham apron.

"Dear ma'am," said she, breathlessly eager to communicate her news; "here's a dreadful thing!"

"What is it, Lizzie?" asked her mistress

"*Mrs.* Draine's nurse has just been over, ma'am, a-crying and a-takin' on dreadful. The poor children is lost!"

"Lost! In a city like this! Impossible!"

"But they is, ma'am. There ain't nothin' been seen of 'em since 9' o'clock this morning. Bridget supposed they'd run after their mother's carriage—and *Mrs.* Draine, she supposed they were safe at home with Bridget—and now they ain't nowhere! And Mrs. Draine, she's a-goin into hysterics awful, and *Mr.* Draine swearing fit to take the top of the ceiling off."

"Poor creature!" said Mrs. Westbrook, softly—and arm in arm with her husband she went over to the stately Draine mansion to offer their sympathy and assistance.

Mr. Draine's teeth were set together-his eyes were blazing.

"It's what we might have expected," he said; "neither more nor less My wife gave up the care of the little ones to hirelings—they have proved as little worthy of trust as we might have known! Louisa," to his wife, "If anything serious has happend to our children the blame will lie at your door."

"Herbert, how can you be so cruel—so heartless!" sobbed *Mrs.* Draine. But at this moment a face looked in at the half open door-a face so white and ghastly—so full of unexpressed horror that Mrs. Westbrook involuntarily held her breath. The man beckoned to her.

"You are a friend of the family?"

"I have come to see what good I could do," she hesitatingly answer.

"Perhaps, then, you can break the tidings to the poor woman," he whispered. "There are two children at the Grand Western Depot badly hurt—and from the descriptions telegraphed to the police stations we fear they are the lost children of this Mrs Draine. They had stolen into a freight car, and there fallen asleep—and on being suddenly roused and sent out by a car loader, wandered, in their bewilderment, directly across the track of an incoming engine, just detached from a train. One cannot survive long; the other is also seriously if not fatally hurt. They are bringing them here on stretchers; they will probably be at the door by the time you can prepare the mother's mind for the shock."

That hour's work was the hardest and bitterest that Katie Westbrook ever did.

"Don't bring them near me! I can't bear to look at them! I have killed them!" wildly wailed Mrs Draine—and it was Mrs. Westbrook's tender arms that lifted the bruised and dying little ones into their cribs, so soon, alas! to be vacant; Mrs. Westbrook's hand that held the draught to their parched lips.

So they died—and the great house was desolate and alone.

"Katie," said Mr. Westbrook, the next day, when he saw his wife among her little ones, serene, loving, ever quick to heed their baby wants. "you are right about a mother's duties. God preserve us from ever drinking the bitter cup that has been held to Mrs. Draine's lips!"

And Katie murmured:

"Amen!"

JOKERS' COLUMN.

The chief reason why we can't see ourselves as others see us is that love is blind.—*Puck.*

Teacher: What is the other name given to jams?

Tommy Traddles: Jim.—Life.

When a man sets out to air his knowledge he is always willing to furnish the wind.—Yonkers Statesman.

The best excuse for some of our self-made men is that there was something wrong with the raw material. —Puck.

—After Eve ate the apple and found out what happened probably she went back and ate the core to see what else would happen—New York Press.

She: Oh, dear me! I really will have to stop talking entirely. I can't open my mouth without putting my foot in it.

He: Surely that don't prevent your talking!—Life.

The Golfer: You must acknowledge that it requires a great deal of skill to drive a ball a hundred yards

The Farmer: Don't require half ez much skill ez it does t' drive a pig fifty feet.—Harper's Bazar.

Little Georgie: Do your folks ever have family prayers before breakfast?

Little Albert: No; we have prayer before we go to bed. We ain't afraid in the daytime.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Little Rily Kaw (who has an inquiring mind)—"Paw, how tall ought a well-built man to be?"

Mr. Kaw (a Kansas populist)—"Tall enought to keep his whiskers from draggin' on the ground,"—Judge.

"Matters are getting so confused that you can't tell what a man's political bias is by his opinions." "Yes you can. Select some political meeting at random and see whether he says it was a brilliant success or a dismal failure."—Washington Star.

"I Presume you carry a memento of some sort in that locket of yours?"

"Precisely; it is a lock of my husband's hair."

"But your husband is still alive."

"Yes; but his hair is all gone."—Atchison Globe.

The grocer was weighing some sugar for the woman in the dyed blue bonnet, when the man in the black frock-coat and yellowish white tie, who had been standing in the door for some minutes, came inside and laid a dime on the counter.

"I picked it up on the floor, just at the edge of the steps," he said. "It must belong to you. A dime or a thousand dollars, sir—it is the principle of the thing I look at. I want nothing that is not mine. Three is the money."

The grocer laid a large forefinger on the coin, and pushed it back across the counter.

"You put dot money in your pocket," mein frient he said.

"But, sir, you or one of your men must have dropped it, and it rolled over there. My motto has always been——"

"I believe," said the grocer, "dot you joost moved your family in dot house across der street dis morgen; ain't it?"

"Yes, sir, and, it being convenient, we expect to do a good deal of bus——"

"You put dot money back in your pocket right avay. Dot was not mein. You put him back in your pocket, and ven your vife comes vor dose groceries, you vill remember dot my terms vas cash efery time." —Ill American.

A NEW treaty between the United States and Japan has recently gone into effect and recognizes the latter as an equal in all respects. Until this time, there have been only five treaty ports in Japan, but now all the interior of the Empire is thrown open to foreigners and foreign trade.

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